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Dental Surgeon by profession, perturbed by double standards of individuals and society since childhood.I am on the the journey of life, trying to do something creative and expressing my thoughts and feelings till the end of the journey.... Associated with many organizations involved in betterment of society at large.
About 2700 poems written so far in English, Hindi and Urdu mixed Hindi language

Works:

Swasthya Darpan (health Mirror)
Santulit Aahaar(Balanced Diet)

A bad day

Nothing
Went right today
Slipped
And injured my leg
On the way
Writhing in pain,
Kept waiting for her
She would come
And put her hand
On my shoulder
Her presence
Shall reduce my pain
She was not to be seen
Throughout the day
No way could I contact her
It made me sad and angry
It was a big shock for me
Lightning struck
My heart and soul
When I came to know
She also slipped
And broke her leg
In the morning today
My pain increased
And eyes got wet
There was nothing
I could do
I cried here,
She cried there
It was a bad day
For both of us
Nothing
Went right today

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A Bad Omen

A bad message
An unpleasant word
From Somebody
A small incident
Early morning
Is a bad omen
Can spoil the mood
Result into a bad day
Keeps rebounding
Every now and then
Haunts the mind
Like a ghost
More than often
Distracts the person
From normal work
One wishes
Early it ends
The better it is

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A bird came into my garden

A bird came into my Garden
She looked very Cheerful
Her beak was red and feathers Blue
Red stripes shone on the Body
Sound of her chirping lured me
I wanted to take her in my Lap
I ran after her
She kept on Dodging
Though tired but urge was Increasing
I tried my Best
But couldn’t catch her
Frustrated, I sat down on the Mat
I closed my eyes to take little Rest
I opened my eyes and was quite surprised
I found the bird sitting in my Lap
She understood the feelings,
I had for her
Surrendered Herself
To make me love her

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A Healthy Body Means A Healthy Mind

Everybody wants
A healthy body
A compassionate heart
A fine smooth mind
A skin that glows
Hairs that are soft
And freely flow
As smooth as silk
As soft as a cloud
The one who has them
Makes him feel proud
To have a body like this
One does not have to do
Anything special
Has to develop
The habit of excercise
Do not eat food
That is junk and greasy
Respect and preserve
The gift god has given to you
Take Care of your body
The body shall keep you
And your heart happy
Throughout your life
Disease
Shall not come
Near you
Love your body
It shall love you
Never forget
A healthy body means
A healthy mind

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A woman

A woman
Is a mother
A daughter & a wife
The only one to play
Three roles in one life
Full of love & affection
Concern & compassion
Patience & determination
Does
Everything for her child
A woman's heart
Is filled with passion
Suffers more
But complains less
Than men
When it comes to
Self-respect
She can fight like a tiger
A woman
Is no less than a man
Can do all that
The man does
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(Poem On International Women's day)

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About Me

I take
Life as it comes
Never depressed by
What may not come?
See brightness
In a dark sky
To get it,
Always ready to fly
Search happiness
Wherever I can find
In man or woman
I never mind
Contentment is my
Favorite thought
With that in mind,
I'm never distraught
Always play a fair game
Never use
Any means of shame
Age is no bar for me
Any one making life
Rosy for me
Old and young
Are equal to me
Keep doing new and good
Is, motto of life for me
All around people know me
Though it's not
Very important for me
Commitment
Always satisfies me
Helping others, is my duty
Keeping busy
Makes me happy
Relaxing is a necessity
Punctuality enhances
My sense of duty
Games to Philanthropy
Movies and Reading
Gardening to photography
Astrology and Nature
Makes my life spicy
Professionally satisfied
Peace and Contentment
 Is my goal
That shall give peace
To my soul
Like every body
I have my share of pain
I have learn to
Live with the same
Writing is my tool

To express my self
What I think and how I felt
Doing four jobs at a time
Is the quality of a Gemini
All this for,
Who wants' to know
About me
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Add Laughter To Your Busy Routine

I felt
My heart was pounding
More than normal

My worry
Reflected on my face
Which certainly looked?
Tense and Abnormal

My beloved
Noticed the unusual
Change on my face
And politely asked
The reason
For the same

I do not know my self
I replied
I know the reason
Of your agony
She said

You haven't
Laughed and smiled
Since long
Stop worrying and laugh
As much as you can

Worries are
Part of everybody's life
They should be faced
In right stride

Have a positive attitude
And
Add laughter to your
Busy routine

Make your life shine
Without any medicine

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Adieu

Adieu
To my madness
My unending desire
Adieu
To my dream of
Getting more and more
So far,
They have given me
Less and less of
All what I need
Less sleep
Less happiness
Less contentment
Less peace
It is time to
Gladly bid adieu
To the world of desires
Remain contented
With what I have
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Age

People
Older to me think
I am still young
People
Younger to me think
I am become old
People
Of my age think
We are not very young
Not very old
Age does not matter
Age is in mind
Age is in thoughts
Which age does?
People talk about
Physically one may age
Mentally
One may remain young
Forget thinking of age
Be a child
Play and laugh
As much as you can
Age physically
Mentally remain young

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Age and experience always does not count

You are much
Younger to me in age
Without much
Experience of life
But in any difficulty
I look towards you
I trust you
I respect you
I see
A true friend in you
Whenever
I am in distress
I take your advice
When depressed
I talk to you
You understand me
Motivate me
Console me
If you feel
I am not being
Rational
You scold me
Tell me to be patient
Remind me to
Have faith in god
You are
Very precious to me
Age and experience
Always does not count
I wish
Somebody like you
Should be there
In every life
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Agony

Silence haunts me
Noise disturbs me
Unrelentingly
I go on searching peace
The search never ends
I neither get peace
Nor solace
My agony keeps
Increasing
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Agree To My Proposal

Do not blame
If my heart
Throbs for you
I simply can't stop
Loving you
It’s not my fault
Your beauty
Enamors me
Your grace and poise
Pleases me
You are the
Center of attraction
On every occasion
An eye sore to
All women
Accept the fact
With nicety
Agree to my proposal
Of spending
Life with me

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All of a sudden

I do not know
What happened today?
All of a sudden
She walked away
Without greeting me
With her sweet smile
Did not reply
When I wished her
Didn’t take my hand
In her hand
She looked
Worried and disturbed
Didn’t utter a single word
Simply gestured
She was going away
There was
Something wrong
I could guess
She left me thinking
In a lurch
Smile on my face
Changed into gloom
It cannot come back
Till I do not see her
Happy and smiling
Again
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All These Years

All these years
I have waited
I am still waiting
I shall keep on waiting
For the fulfillment of
My dreams
I am neither frustrated
Nor depressed
I was hopeful
I am hopeful
The day will come
When my dreams
Come true
I am not in a hurry
Hope and confidence
Does not let
My desires die
Delusions of the mind
Keep trying
To make me embrace
Madness
Crumble my confidence
Turn my life into hell
Desires keep coming
Contentment
Keeps me smiling
Patiently I wait
For my dreams
To come true
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Alone I came, alone I shall go

I was born alone
Came into the world
On my own
I shall go from the
World alone
Throughout my life
Remained
Surrounded by people
They laughed with me
Cried with me
Some liked me
Some hated me
Why should I bother?
Who hated me?
Why should I not
Love everybody
Remain happy
Without any body
Alone I came
Alone I shall go
So why not
Enjoy being lonely
Blaming loneliness
Would be crazy
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An Invisible Thread

An invisible thread

Of understanding

Connects and binds

The two of us

As none other thing

Would do

It hangs on mutual

Love and affection

Care and confidence

The thread may tangle

It may loosen

However,

It will never break

Selfless purity

In our relationship

Shall make it stronger

Day by day

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Anger Is One Letter Short Of Danger

Anger is fire
It burns the soul
Anger is deep sea
Drowns one to death
Anger is a storm
Blows one
Out of the world
Anger is demon
Overpowers the mind
Anger is a virus
Slowly kills a person
Anger is evil
Brings one closer to hell
Anger is madness
Makes one suffer
Anger is an enemy
Destroys one slowly
Turns friendship
Into enmity
Always remember
Anger is
One letter short of
Danger
It takes its toll
Does not spare
A single soul

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Anna Hazare A strong old man Fights corruption For the people Of his country

Anna Hazare

A strong old man

Has taken the nation

By storm

Fights corruption

For the people

Of his country

Lives in a temple

Without a family

On others mercy

With meager means

Politicians see him

As an enemy

Afraid of being caught

Corrupt deeds

Getting exposed

People at large

Support his mission

Of honesty

Pray to god daily

Honesty overtakes

Corruption finally

Brings smile

On the faces of people

Of his country

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Anna Hazare A candle With A Blazing Fire

Anna Hazare
Once a soldier
Now a commander
A candle
With a blazing fire
A pistol
That fires like a cannon
Small in size
Big in deeds
Armed with non violent
Weaponry
Uses it effectively
Against
Corrupt and dirty
However high and mighty
They may be
Honest and fearless
Simple in living
Does not believe in
Cast and creed
A friend to
Poor and needy
Service above self
His motto
Determined
For the progress
Of the nation
Gandhi his ideal
Honesty his forte
True son of the land
Leads by example

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Arrogance v/s silence

To provoke him
I ridiculed him
Laughed at his clothes
Made a mockery of
His personality
Made faces at him
Said nasty things
To hurt his feelings
He smiled and kept mum
Did not utter a single word
That made me angry
Increased my arrogance
I abused him
He kept his cool
Fed up
With his cool behavior
Ultimately asked him
Why is he not reacting?
He did not reply
Just walked away
Smiling
Made me think
My best efforts
Could not provoke him
Whereas his silence
Irritated and provoked me
Made me behave
Like an animal
What I could not achieve?
By anger and arrogance
He achieved by silence
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As night sets in

As night sets in
A strange fear grips me
Loneliness keeps me awake
Throughout the night
Her memories haunt me
Keep coming to my mind
Every moment spent with her
Runs like a film
Eyes become wet
The heart cries
She departed
Leaving me alone
To fight with lonely nights
I know she is in heaven
Showering
Her blessings on me
To keep me alive
And fight
The battle of life

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At times I want to be lonely

At times
I want to be lonely
Sit in a corner
Cry freely
For things
I shouldn’t have done
Words
I shouldn’t have spoken
I talk to myself
Think
How to correct them?
Wipe my tears
Move ahead
With new determination
Try not to
Repeat them in future

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At times you need some space for yourself

At times you
Need some space for
Yourself
May be your spouse
May be the person
You love most
No matter
How close you are to
Somebody
You need some privacy
For your self
Want to be on your own
Complete isolation
No intruders
You want
To do and think
As you feel
Many may not
Understand
The importance of
Being alone for a while
It is there problem
If you want to live life
As you wish
You ought to know
How and Why?
You shall find the answer
Only when you are
On your own
That is why
At times
You need some space
For your self

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Beauty can be so desirous I never knew

Beauty
Can be so desirous
I never knew
I did not understand
What beauty meant
Can any one
Mesmerize?
I never believed
Sleepless nights
 Can cause havoc
In the heart and mind
I never realized
I did not know
One can become lost
Even when in senses
Till I didn’t see you

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Beauty can be so captivating

It was a dark night
Suddenly the sky lit
Wind stopped flowing
There was light all around
She had arrived
Her face sparkled
The world around
Her beauty mesmerized
Any body who dared to
See her eye to eye
All mouths shut
Not a word could be
Uttered
Hearts started pounding
Everybody
Kept starring her
An angel
From the heaven
Was now visible
All souls became
Intoxicated
Nobody could believe
Beauty can be
So captivating

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Beauty of a person

Don’t look at the face
Don’t’ look at the color,
Cast or creed
Beauty of a person
Lies in his heart
And what he thinks
May not attract in looks
But have a golden heart
Full of warmth and compassion
A mind that thinks
Nice for everyone alike
Returns love with love
In hate he doesn’t believe
“I “and “me “ doesn’t exist
We and ours
Are on the top of the list

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Birth of a poem

Her smile mesmerized me
Her beauty overtook me
My desires increased
Thoughts started coming
I took a pen
Started writing
Words
Flowed from the heart
Expression of her beauty
Did not stop
My hands ached
The pen went dry
My love for her
Became known to the world
What was conceived?
In the heart and mind
Resulted in the birth of
A poem

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Boredom is in the mind, throw it in the gutter

The day seemed boring
Dull and dreary
I tried reading
Kept the book on the side
After a while
I tried gardening
That wasn't enjoying
I kept cursing
That didn't help
Passing time
Became challenging
Irritability increasing
Decided to visit the river nearby
Sat on a bench
To view the flowing water
Sitting on the bench next to mine
Sat an elderly couple
Throwing pebbles in the water
Laughing and giggling
Comparing who threw farthest
After some time
They got up from there
I could see they could hardly walk
Very slowly they inched forward
I ran to help them
Sit in the car parked nearby
They thanked me for my help
Asked, why I was there?
At the time
When I was supposed to work
I replied,
I was getting bored
To pass the time
I came to the riverside
Before departing the old man said
Young man goes and enjoy
Every minute of your life
Never feel bored
Always be on the move
Like the flowing water
Boredom is in the mind
Throw it in the gutter

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Childhood never returns

Memories remain
Childhood never returns
Deep in the heart
They always burn
Life takes a turn
When youth comes
Becomes more difficult
As one grows old
More responsibilities
One has to hold
The freedom goes
Tougher it becomes
With future in mind
Memories rewind
Old days were better
Everybody chatters
Give my childhood back
One remembers
God for that

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Choices

One should feel lucky
If one gets choices in the life
It can make one happy
Throughout the life
Choice in love
Friends and relations
Work, career, city and country
Is the dream of every living soul?
Living the life with choice
If one doesn’t get things of choice
One should be contented
With what he gets
Too many cooks spoil the dish
Too many choices
Makes it difficult to choose
One is lucky
If one gets chance to choose
If one’s got a life there is no choice
One has to live the way it comes
Throughout the life
Keep on trying,
For better choices

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Conversation

A good conversation
Is always welcome
Gives great satisfaction
To heart and soul
Remains in mind
For a long time
Keeps reminding
The good words
Exchanged
Irrespective of whom
You converse with
Always wishing
The same be repeated
One seizes the
Opportunity
When ever it
Arrives

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Deeds

Shadow of a criminal
Shadow of a saint
Look same
Both die and go to the cemetery
To be buried in the same soil
Their end is the same
More people remember the saint
Love him
For the deeds he did
People cry for him after he leaves
People remember the criminal
With hate
Everybody is happy after he goes
Want to forget the deeds he did
Deeds we do make the difference
To be loved or to be hated
Is one’s choice

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Desires Never Die

Desires never die
One fulfills
New arrives
No one is ever
Satisfied
Without contentment
Life becomes a
Punishment
Endless desires
Need to be controlled
Remain contended
In what you have got
Limit the desires
Reduce the needs
Remain happy
Throughout the life

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Destiny

The red beaked
Hungry green parrot
Was happy
When he saw
Grain scattered
On the ground
He slowly moved
Towards it
When some
Obscure sound
Made him cautious
He stopped for a while
Looked left and right
Carefully weighed
The danger to his life
Feeling confident
That no one was
Around
Moved ahead
To fulfill his appetite
He started eating
Felt dizzy
After sometime
Ultimately, fell down
On the ground
He did not know
The grain
Was poisonous
Being careful
Did not help him
His destiny decided
Otherwise
His desire to live
Turned into painful
End of his life

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Did you miss me?

All husbands and wives
When meet
After being away
From each other
Ask the same question
Did you miss me?
No spouse says
I did not
Still they keep going
Away
For days or months
May be because of work
Or something else
Enjoy the work
Enjoy the life
But when together
Ask the same old
Question
Did you miss me?

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Dilemma

To do not to do
To be not to be
Dilemma
Does not end
Struggle in the mind
Continues
Yes or no rules
The heart says yes
The mind says no
The mind says yes
The heart says no
The fight continues
Throughout the life
Dilemma
Does not end
Till the end of life

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Distance

One close to him
Was far from him
One far away
Was close to him
Both were at a
Distance
One from heart
Other by distance
Destiny
Did not allow
Wish to fulfill
He kept on living
In misery
Silently bearing
The agony

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Do not cry, When I cry

Do not cry
When I cry
Do not laugh
When I laugh
I want to cry
When you cry
I want to laugh
When you laugh
Take from me
As much as you can
Do not
Give me any thing
Just express
Your love for me
Do it before I leave
Shed the hatred
You carry for me
Relieve me of the burden
I carry in my soul
I want to die smiling
In peace

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Do not kill your conscience

What makes you think?
Everybody should like you
The greatest of the greats
Were hated by some one
They kept on
Pursuing there good work
Achieved their goal
Now are remembered
By each and every soul
Why not you
Keep doing your best
Do not
Kill your conscience
Do some thing
Simply to please
Somebody
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Do not leave so early

Sit for a while

Do not leave

So early

Let me at least

See you patiently

Let my heart

Fulfill its desire

Let your beauty

Be absorbed

In every cell of

My body

So as to have

A feeling

You are always

With me

Then if you want

You can leave

However,

Do not leave

So early

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Dreams are dreams, enjoy them while sleeping

She came in my dreams
Wearing attractive clothing
Resembling a delicious ice cream
Packed in attractive packing
Felt like tasting her
To the last dropp
Enjoying her taste and flavor
Feeling her sweetness
Deep in my heart
I instantly liked her
Started looking for her
City to city, door to door
Without any luck
I got fed up
Realized the truth
Dreams are dreams
Enjoy them while sleeping
They melt like an ice cream
When eyes open

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Each day is same

Each day is same
Becomes Important
With the event
That happens
On the fateful day
Remembered
By one and all
Lies embedded
In heart and mind
Becomes history
With the
Passage of time
Some remember
With tears in eyes
Some with a big smile
Some take it
As one of many
Each day is same
How important it is
Depends on
Individual feelings
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Ego Had Shattered My Life in Totality

Me
Only me
Nobody else
Mattered to me
My ego
Was more important
Than anything else
To me
As life passed
Everybody left me
I was left all alone
In agony
It was too late
To know life’s
Reality
Ego had shattered
My life in totality

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Encouragement

Encouragement
Is the gift
One can give freely
One doesn’t loose
Any wealth or money
Gets the satisfaction
Of thinking positively
Stop thinking and
Help some body
Lift one’s life
From defeat to victory
You can do better
And
I love you
Shall make every soul
Happy

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End Of The Journey

He was helpless
Lying
Unconscious
On the bed
His face pale
Eyes closed
Tubes inside the nose
Supplying oxygen
To Forcibly
Keep him alive
His frail body
Fighting against time
The moon and sun
The nice room
Had no meaning for him
Leaving behind
The money
He had earned
By all possible means
He was not even aware
That his life journey
Was about to end
All nears and dears
Were waiting
For his empty handed
Departure
From the world
Share the money
He leaves
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Evening arrives

Sun
Tired of shining
Throughout
The day
Decides to hide
Behind
The mountains
Far away
Tells the birds
To go back
To the nests
Invites the moon
To rule the night
Stars
Twinkling with him
Heat and light
Decreases
After a long day
Evening arrives

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Every Body Is So Engrossed In Merry Making

The festival of light
Depaawali has come
Everyone is having good fun
Sweets
And mouth watering
Dishes
Are filling their appetite
Crackers and fire work
Are making
Young and old happy
Who are not bothered?
About the pollution
They are causing
Every body is so engrossed
In merry making
They are even forgetting
The poor and hungry

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Every Person Expects From Every Other Person

Every person
Expects from every
Other person
Looks towards god
For fulfillment of
Expectations
Gets disappointed
If not fulfilled
Gets depressed
Fills with hate
If people known
Are not able to deliver
As per expectations
Always forgetting
Others also expects
Expectation
Can be met
With reciprocation
Without that
There will be only
Frustration

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Every soul goes into oblivion

Time
spares nobody
Big or small
King or a pauper
Every soul
Goes into oblivion
Every name is forgotten
Remain hidden
Never to be seen
Than why fear about it?
Use immoral means!
To attain immortality
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Existence

Her dull face
Her crying
Takes my
Happiness away
Fills me with sorrow
My emotions
Overcome my joy
I look like a dead fish
I ask myself
What is the point of my
Existence
If I cannot make her
Smile
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Eyes are eyes

Daring and crying,
Roving and exploring
Sometimes twinkling
Eyes are eyes
They speak
What’s in the heart inside?
Store tears
Flow them freely
In happiness and misery
Eyes meet eyes
Heart beats increase
Love game begins
Two souls meet
Close when one sleeps
The world of dreams
Slowly creeps
Vanishes when open
Reality seen
Unlucky are the ones
Without eyes
Unable to see
The beauty around
Eyes are eyes
They see
Good and ugly alike

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Fear

</>Fear exists
In every mind
Some fear death
Some fear life
There is fear all around
Some fear struggle
Some fear strife
The problem is their
Attitude
Fear does not solve
Problems
Fear does not give
Solution
Fear is an enemy
Which makes a person?
Weak and unsuccessful
Fear harms the health
Eats the wealth
It snatches the smile
Makes one cry
Help your self
Get rid of fear
Work hard
Try for the best
Think positive
Live life like
Never before

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Few Words

Few words
Can cause
Wonder or a disaster
Can make sound
More than a bomb
Resulting into breakdown
Of the heart and mind
Few words
Can turn a sad face
Into a one with a big smile
Few words
Can be heavier than the
Biggest of hammers
Can break intimate
Relationship
Turn it into enmity
Few words can be sharper
Than a knife
Can cut the thread of trust
Into thousand pieces
Few words can be
Very soothing
Can heal wound faster
Than any medicine
Few words of sympathy
Can give solace to
Someone in agony
Few words of apology
Can resolve the biggest
Differences
Few words of
Encouragement
Can motivate someone
To the road of victory
Few words of love
Can bring
Two unknown souls
Together
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First Ray of Sun

First ray of sun
Travels to the earth
From high skies
Light of day begins to shine
Sun rises slowly, far in the sky
Goes higher and higher
As time trickles
Mountains are the first
To see the rising beauty
Sky is full with rainbow colors
Dark shades of night
Not to be seen
Every heart sighs in relief
Fills with joy when sees the light
Light and colors inspires every life,
Give a meaning to love and desire
Birds keep chirping
Wind keeps flowing
Mist is lost with the advent of heat
Evaporates to the sky above
Leaves on trees
Make a gentle sound
Their rumbling and mumbling
Make their presence felt all around
Thoughts of life
Keep coming to my mind
Touching the heart endless times
Beauty of nature
Brings words in my mind
I wish every soul to feel and hear
What I think?
Mountains and rivers never complain
Gentle breeze keeps on blowing
Mist is lost with the advent of heat
Evaporates to the sky above
Leaves on trees make a gentle sound
Their rumbling and mumbling
Make their presence felt all around
A full bright day has just begun
Cheering every face on the earth alike
Nature is the gift of god to mankind
I wish every life enjoys it fully

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Fool’s paradise

He wears
Expensive clothes
Designer coats
Dazzling shirts
Colorful pants
Gold bracelets
Diamond studded
Watches
Stunning ties
Italian shoes
Priceless goggles
Drives luxury cars
Eats best of food
Dines in
Top restaurants
Speaks
Abusive language
Does not respect
Others
Thinks only about
Himself
Calls himself
A good human being
Lives in a fool’s
Paradise
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Fortunate, Unfortunate

He was

Not unfortunate

But unfortunately

He could not get

What he desired

Unfortunately

What he desired?

Was unachievable

Nobody advised him so

His failure turned into

Misery

Unfortunately

He started to think

He cannot do anything

Fortunately

He met an old saint

Who told him?

To do

What he can do best

He tried and tried

Till he got success

Fortunately

His misery ended

Unfortunately

He did not thank

The old man

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Freedom

I want to fly like a bird in the sky
Going left and right, up and down
Nobody to stop nobody to shout
See the earth from the sky
Rivers and seas under my wings
Land and Forest in my view
Nearer to moon nearer to sun
Stars will be my neighbors
No boundaries, no armies to stop me
I can go to the countries I like
Sit on the trees, smell the flowers
Of my choice
Freedom from cast and creed
Whole world will be mine

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Friends you can choose relatives you can’t

I heard stories about friendship
People talked about good deeds friends did
I used to ask question to myself
Why I am by my self?
No friends No body to think of me
One day I went to a saint
And asked him why I was alone
Nobody to trust, nobody to help
He asked
Do you care for anybody?
Or trust anybody?
No, I replied
He smiled and said to me
First start caring known, unknown
Do not treat all alike
Trust few you like
You shall get love and care
And friends, you can count upon
Sacrifice before you receive
Never shall you feel lonely and helpless
Friends you can choose
Relatives you can’t
Remember the golden rule
In mind and Heart

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Gave my heart and soul to her

I met her on my first day in college
She was my classmate
Wasn’t beautiful
Short in height and Normal looks
An average student, No extra talent,
Nothing to attract my desire for love
I was new to the city and the college
She helped me with books and notes
Took me to the doctor when I fell sick
Dropped me on her scooter
To and fro from to college
Always greeted me with a hearty smile
Helped me in my thesis and studies
Never asked for anything in return
Whether in the college or outside
It was the same with every person
I met with a severe accident
She took my care day and night
I never saw her loosing temper
Never did she refuse anybody for help
Meaning of beauty had changed for me
Physical beauty was not my concern
Her inner beauty had captured my heart
I couldn’t stop myself from loving her
Gave my heart and soul to her

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Get out of the web of depression

Depression is
No less than
A spider's web
Once one
Is entrapped in it
It is not easy to get out
Listening to others
Praying to god
Thinking positive
Not losing
Self-confidence
Are sure remedies
To smile back again
Get out of the
Web of depression
Return back to
The world of reality
Live a life full of
Peace and happiness
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Getting More Laughter And Happiness

Morning sun makes me
Happy and cheerful
My hopes are on the peak
For a day
Full of happiness and laughter
The afternoon sun
Gives too much heat
Unable to look at it
Reminds me of hard work
I am doing
The resultant sweat
Takes some of my laughter
The evening sun
Looks very tired
Giving less shine and heat
Looks as drained as I am
Without any laughter
Only tiredness
As night sets in
I sit in the open
Underneath
The cold moon light
Ask myself
What I achieved?
After a tiring day
I feel
Satisfied and contended
For trying to do my best
With patience and dedication
Tiredness goes
Smile comes to my face
I feel happy
Go inside the room
Sleep peacefully
In the hope of
Getting more
Laughter and happiness
The next day

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Go and pray for her soul

Go and pray for her soul
Somebody told me
She is back in town
My eyes lit in happiness
Heart beats increased
My desire to meet her
Came back to life
I got ready
Wore the best dress
I had
Bought a bouquet
Of flowers
Prayed to god
Thinking
What I would say to her
Ran to her house
I was Perspiring
My heart thumping
I saw a big lock
On the door of her house
I was shocked
In despair
Tears in my eyes
My wish of meeting her
Could not materialize
A neighbor came
And asked
Why I was there?
I told the matter
With a gloomy face
He informed me
Somebody had played
An ugly prank on me
She can never come
She was no more
She had died long ago
Go and pray for
Her soul

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Go Back to the Place You Belong

Tired of problems in life
He decided to move out of
Everybody’s sight
Left his home
For an unknown place
Free of all the troubles
He walked from morning to dusk
Then he saw bright lights
Reaching nearer
He saw fire blazing
Everybody Trying
To save their lives
He ran from there
Spent the night in the forest
In the morning
Saw a village nearby
Reaching there
Didn’t see any sign of life
Dead people all around
Disease and hunger
Had taken their toll
He ran from there
To find a better place
On his journey he met a saint
He asked him to suggest a place
Where he could find
Peace and solace
The saint smiled and said to him
Peace and turmoil are side by side
It’s your attitude
That gives you peace and anger
Go back to the place you belong
Positive attitude
Shall make all the difference
You shall become a happy man

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Good one's smile evil cry

Evil live
Innocent die
On their flesh
Evil survive
Without them
They will also die
It is an irony
Evil survive
Sinless perish
Good keep on
Fighting
Knowing very well
One day they shall die
Evil keep smiling
Forgetting
When they die
To god they shall
Have to reply
Their place is in
Hell or heaven
Deeds they have done
Shall decide
God punishes evil
Good sent to heaven
Evil to hell
In the end
One thing is certain
Good one’s smile
Evil cry

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Guilt Complex

He was my closest friend
From childhood
Shared good and bad time
Together
Always wanted me
To reach greater heights
Started disapproving
The ways and means
I used to fulfill my dreams
My failures created doubts
For him in my mind
Started blaming him
For what I could not achieve
Held him responsible
For all my failures
Our friendship fell apart
I had lost someone
Who was my life's part?
Time passed
I faced defeat after defeat
My progress halted,
Growth retorted
Until I realized
I was not doing the right
Remembered
What my lost friend
Had advised
Unwillingly did,
What he had suggested
Changed
My ways and means
Started tasting
Success after success
My dreams were fulfilled
But kept suffering
From the crime
I had committed
I had doubted
My friend's integrity
Never cared for his
Love and sincerity
The guilt complex
Never allowed me
To live happily
I had lost courage
To face him
For my wrong doings
Tears keep coming
To the eyes
I feel all my achievements
Are tainted and farce
How to win him back?

Is now my goal

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Hate becomes Thing of the past

I hope
My hopes are fulfilled
Everyone is thrilled
Nobody cries
Every life smiles
Laughter
Is the call of the day
Every day is a good day
Joy is all around
Increasing every day
By leaps and bounds
Love in every heart
No two lovers remain apart
Hate becomes
Thing of the past
Every soul is full of
Relief at last

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Hate is what I hate

Hate is what I hate
Unable to control myself
I hate
The people who live in hate
Live like a savage
Cunning and mischievous
Use money and power
Against the weak and poor
No respect for the handicapped
Treat old people
Children and woman shabbily
I hate the shameless
Arrogant
Power and money their goal
Dishonesty their forte
Humility not in their thoughts
Friends of Satan
They do not believe
In god

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He had lost his pride

He thought
He was the strongest man
There was nobody
Stronger and powerful than him
His pride turned him
From human to a demon
He used to bully
Young and old equally
Asking for money
And goods of his choice
Nobody dared to defy
One day he got hit by a
Speeding car
Broke his leg
Started bleeding
Unable to get up
He cried in pain
Nobody came to
Help him recover
Kept lying on the road
Fainted after some time
When he woke up
Found himself in the hospital
A frail old man
Was sitting on his bedside
He remembered
He bullied him the most
Asked him
Why did he help him?
Old man replied
You did what you thought
Was right
I did, what I thought
Was right
The strong man
Held the old man's hand
Tears flowing from his eyes
He had lost his pride

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He loved beauty

He loved beauty
Impressed
Every lady he met
His sweet tongue
Suave manners
Won him
Lot of friends regularly
When time came
For him to marry
He could not decide
Who his life partner
Should be?
He kept on promising
Left every lady waiting
Only to find
All of them
Decided to marry
Somebody else
Leaving him lonely
It was too late
From him to realize
Friends can be many
You can
Laugh and make merry
Heart can be given to
One and only
He
Remained a bachelor
Throughout his life
Lived in old memories

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He was giving what he got

He was born as an orphan
Fathered by a criminal
Nobody spoke of love and Affection
He became a dreaded criminal
He grew as a Person
Full of Hatred and Enmity
He started giving what he got
Ready to pounce on
Any Man, Woman or Child
Who laughed and smiled
Without bothering
About cast or creed
One day after getting drunk
He fall down from his bike
When consciousness came
He found himself
In a old man’s Lap
Rubbing his Palm
Sprinkling water on the Face
Shocked and surprised
He asked the old man
Why he was so nice
To a criminal like him
Old man replied
He was giving what he got
Without bothering, who he was?
The criminal was moved by
Old man’s thought
He decided to say sorry to God
And repent for his Sins
He was a changed man now
Full of Love and affection
Hate and enmity gone
Giving back what he got

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He Was More than a Dog to Me

My dog Bosky
When small
Looked very chubby
Had a big
Burly body
Black coat shining
Long tail wagging
Ready to pounce
On anybody
Intruding
Old and young
Would fear
Very sight of his
Would know
From a distance
If I was coming
Started barking
Moved in the garden
With tremendous
Anxiety
Followed my commands
With full sincerity
At times behaved
Naughty
Won’t listen to me
Ran here and there
Asking me
To play with him
Slept near my bed
Throughout his life
In thick and thin
Always with me
More than a friend
Was a part of the family
Guarded the house
With full responsibility
Sickness brought
Silence to him
Made me look
Helpless and weak
The day he died
It was raining
As if even god was
Crying
Always remains
In my memory
Eyes become watery
When I think of him
He was more than a
Dog to me

(In memory of my pet dog Bosky)

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Her Blue Eyes Stared Deep into My Eyes

Her blue eyes
Stared deep
Into my eyes
Penetrating straight
Into the heart
set me on fire
Lifted my desire
So intense was her look
My mind stopped to think
Words dried in my mouth
I like you
Was what I could hear
I nodded my head
Became a rat
She the pied piper
A new journey
Was about to begin
I was ready to go
Wherever she took me

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Her desire

On a winter evening
It was drizzling
Standing under a tree
She was shivering
Through her curly hairs
Water Droplets
Were dripping down
But could not hide
The anxiety on her face
It was getting dark
The place was lonely
When she heard a voice
You must be getting late
Can I dropp you home?
She moved her eyes
To her surprise
Saw him standing
She smiled
Slowly replied
I am not in hurry
Why not together
We spent some time
After a a long time
Her desire
To meet her dream
Was fulfilled
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Her prize possession

She never forgets
Her blue frock
Do not give it to anybody
She often tells
She was six years old
When I had bought
Presented to her
On her birthday
She liked it on the first sight
Thanked me a thousand times
Insisted on wearing it
The very night
It became her favorite dress
For every function
She would prefer that
Cried if told to
Choose from the rest
She wore it the most
It fitted her best
Stopped wearing it
When it didn’t fit
It was a treasure
Her prize possession
I can understand
Her love for the frock
It brought her childhood
Back

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His Answer To My Question Was A Question

His answer to my question
Was a question
My answer to his reply
Was returned
With another question
The game of
Answering and asking
Questions
Did not end
Till I questioned
The very motive
Of our conversation
We came to the conclusion
How to pass time?
Was the biggest question
Asking questions
And creating confusion
Was the answer
So we passed our time
Asking and answering questions
The question now is
Whether we did right or wrong?
The answer is
Why ask a useless question?

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His eyes kept searching

He was a beggar
Sitting in the busy street
On the side of the fountain
Looking at the passersby
With hope and expectation
Waiting for somebody
To have pity on him
Shower some money
People glanced at him
Kept moving ahead
Without giving a penny to him
In the heart he cursed them
But did not fail to smile
When somebody
Came near to him
His begging container
Remained empty
Had to listen to sarcastic remarks
From morning till evening
He had no money
Nothing to eat
Sipping water from a bottle
With a hungry stomach
Kept praying to god
To send one soul
Who shall make his day?
Not go in vain
There was no pain
No despair on his face
It was many of those days
When he had to sleep hungry
Without letting his hope die
His eyes kept searching
For somebody
Who would give
Something in cash or kind

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Hope Did Not Die

It was a sad day
Lights dim
Moon without shine
Face dull
In deep gloom
As if dying
Darkness all around
Sorrow
In the turbulent mind
Thoughts
Came like waves
Why she has not come
Is everything fine?
When she will come
Was the question in mind?
But she did not come
The agony did not end
Life became worthless
But in some corner
Of the heart and mind
Hope did not die

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Hope Kept Me Alive

I could never get
What I hoped
Ray of hope
I would see
But would fade
Faster than I saw
I kept trying
Never lost heart
To see another
Ray of hope today
I hope
What could Never
Happen until now
Would happen
Tomorrow
Hope kept me alive
Faith in self
Kept me going
No reason
I will not get
What I could not
Get So far

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Hope never gave away

Many times
Clouds came and went away
Hope never gave away
Clouds dark and Black
Have come again today
Looming on the sky above
Lightening struck,
With full thunder
The farmer below
Looked at the sky
Tears flowing from the eyes
Praying to God
Bring the rain down
His crops were dying
Without rain
Few shall survive
Famine shall treat
Man, animal alike

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How can I forget you?

How can I forget you?
I miss you
I dream of you
I am alive because of you
How can you ask me?
To forget you
Do not be so selfish
You know
My love for you
You are my peace
You are my soul
I want you to remain
Happy
The way you want
But never think
I can forget you
Do not snatch my life
Let me live
By remembering you

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How can I forget?

How can I forget?
Moments of togetherness with her
Her Whispering in the ears
My head in her lap
Hand in hand
Walking on the beach
Promising each other
To be together till eternity
Her laughing and giggling
Throwing tantrums
Seeking more attention from me
Sometimes serious, sometimes naughty
Making me wait simply to tease me
If I was late
She cried in vain
When angry would not talk to me
She was the one to telephone to me
Presented flowers, sent letters to me
Wrote love couplets
On the cards she sent to me
Together we were one entity
Till she left me and the world
To be near the almighty
Her memories bring tears in my eyes
Nothing stops my crying
Till the time,
Tears refuse to come outside

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Humility

God is with those
Who stay cool
In a hot place,
Sweet in a sour place,
And
Little in a big place
Humility is their way
To live life
Come what may
They never give way
The keep going
On the path
They have chosen

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Hurry Before You Perish

Time is running out
Hurry before you perish
Smile and laugh
As much as you can
Love every near and dear
Enjoy life without any fear
Let the eyes see
Wonders of nature
The flowing rivers,
The rising seas,
High mountains,
And the green trees
Listen to the music of birds
Smell the
Fragrance of flowers
Play in the snow
Wander in the jungles
Nobody knows
When one has to leave
So don’t waste your time
Live life with pleasure
Enjoy it to the fullest

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I am unable to convince you

I do not expect
Anything from you
Nor do I have
Love designs for you
I remember you
Write to you
Simply because
I like you
Adore you
From the core
Of my heart
Though I try to
But simply cannot stop
Myself
From writing to you
Increasing your doubts
About my intentions
About you
My biggest agony is
I am unable to
Convince you

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I Begged God for My Life

I cursed the birds
Their droppings soiled my clothes
I cursed the animals
Their droppings soiled my feet
While walking on the beach
I cursed the insects
For eating flowers in my garden
I took a gun
Killed the birds and the animals
Sprayed deadly poison
On the the insects
I was feeling happy
As if I had conquered the world
I heard god’s voice
What should I do with you my son?
You soiled my world
By killing my
Birds, insects and animals
For your greed and lust
I begged god for my life
Promised him to
Treat man, animals alike
Preserve his world
With all my might

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I cannot forget the month of June

I cannot forget
The month of June
My memories
Take to my child hood
The Sun was hot red
And the sky blue
Hot winds blew
Little Cuckoo flew
In the dreaded heat
From the coziness
Of her nest
In search of water
And food
Couldn’t bear the heat
Of the sun
Fell on the ground
Gasping for breath
I saw the bird
Took her in my lap
Gave food and water
And saved its life
When evening came
The cuckoo flew back
To its cozy nest

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I Could Only Mutter Hello, Without Getting Heard

Cupid’s
Arrow struck us
Made us come
Close to each other
I was about to propose
And little bud of love
Was about to bloom
Emergency at home
Made her leave
For her country
In a huff
My dreams
Shattered in misery
I lived in her memories
Became a living dead
Cursing my luck
And praying to god
Shed tears
Lost my sleep
Suddenly
I got a call from her
All was well
She was coming back
I laughed and smiled
Kept waiting for her
She came
After some weeks
With a man on her side
Meet my husband
Were her first words to me?
My joy died,
Eyes left wide open
Lips got sealed
I could only mutter
Hello
Without getting heard
And left in a huff

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I did not get what I desired

I got
What I did not desire
I did not get
What I desired
I became frustrated
Started complaining
Agony increased
Irritability mounted
My behavior
Kept changing
Became worse
Day by day
My concentration
Lapsed
Till I quit working
I went into a shell
Life became a hell
My mother
Guessed my pain
Asked me
Do I remember?
What I got
Even without asking
Thank god for
What he gave me
Have little patience
Remain calm
Keep working hard
There can be delay
But success
Never stays away
God gives to those
Who have?
Faith and trust in him
Pray and live like
A good human being
I realized my weaknesses
Followed the path
My mother
Had shown to me
I became happy
In what I could get
Never cribbed again
For what I could not get
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I did not know her

I did not know her
She did not know me
Something was common
Between us
That made it possible
To share few moments
Of ours
Respected each other
Equally
Time passed by
Sharing increased
Started
Knowing each other
More profoundly
Respected each other
Mutually
We are now friends
With pure relationship
I care for her
She cares for me
Share our thoughts
With dignity

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I do not know what is politics? To me it seems to be poly tricks

I do not know
What is politics?
To me it seems to be
Poly tricks
Played by people
Involved in multiple
Gimmicks
Called as leaders
Telling lies
Fooling people
Is their passion
Their sole goal
Is Power
However it may come
By hook or by crook
India or Britain
Situation is the same

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I Do Not Wait For Anybody Except You

Her face
Was embossed
In my heart and mind
Never let me cry
Her memories never
Faded
Hope of her coming
Back
Never died
Loneliness
Never perturbed me
She was always near me
Till I saw you
Your face
Is a replica of her's
You have
Mesmerized me
Captured
My heart and soul
Memories have faded
Love in life revived
Now
I do not miss
I do not wait
For anybody
Except you

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I don’t want to Cry

I don’t want to Cry
What may come my Way?
I shall not sway
Face difficulties Anyway
Fight with all the Might
Make the life nice and Bright
Problems will keep coming
Shall solve them
Without Failing
I’ll keep my Promise
With all the Sweetness
Without any Bitterness

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I Feed The Birds and Play With Them

I was tired and exhausted
I felt as if
There is nothing in the world
Except work
I went to the nearby garden
Saw an old man
Feeding the birds with seeds
He smiled when a bird
Came near him
Picked one seed
He Laughed
When another came
Picked another seed
I did not understand
His smiling and laughing
I asked him
Why he was so happy?
He replied in measured words
Everybody works
To feed himself
When you feed others
It makes you happy
You have satisfaction
Of living for others
I feel fresh
And without stress
I understood
What he mean't
Feeding the birds
And playing with them
Has now become
My usual routine

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I keep waiting for her

I keep waiting for her
Her memories bring tears
Don’t know where she is
Life is not the same for me
Passing time,
Difficult for me
Night haunts me
Her talks I remember
In my ears she whispers
Her smile and beauty
I never forget
Helpless I feel
Life seems worthless to me

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I know you wait for me

I know
You wait for me
Always ready
To hear from me
Even
When you are busy
I keep
Knocking the door
Of your
Mind and heart daily
Though
I have not met you
You have not met me
An unseen bond exists
Between the two
As time passes
The desire to meet
Keeps increasing
The urge to share more
Doesn’t let you
Reduce your anxiety

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I Know, You Can Never Forget Me

I know
You can never
Forget me
No matter
How much you try
My memories
Shall always haunt you
The way
I talk and walk
The way
I smile and laugh
Shall always
Be in your mind
The more you try to
Forget me
More vigorously
I shall arrive in your
Dreams
I have loved you
You have loved me
You are part of my
Heart and soul
Shall remain so till
The time
The world of love
Exists
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I Love to Be Simple

I love to be simple
Think, write and live simple
No intricate thoughts
No jugglery of words
No high ambitions
Contentment is my goal
I express my thoughts
In simple words
To make
Everybody understand
What I want to say
My heart and their minds
Should meet at a point
That’s what I think
What I write
Is Honest and forthright
Bridging myself
With my readers
Is what I like

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I love you

I do not hug you
I do not kiss you
I do not take you
In my arms
It does not mean
I do not love you
I trust you
I miss you
I remember you
when ever
I am depressed
I look towards you
Share my thoughts
And secrets with you
I cannot imagine
The world without you
you are bodily apart
But close to my heart
Is it not loving you
How else can I prove?
That I love you
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I moved on and on

I saw a dream
I was swimming in the sea
With waves riding high
Whales and Sharks
Ready to swallow me
With great difficulty
And Praying to god
I kept on moving ahead
I was determined
To achieve my Goal
Only shore was in the mind
I moved on and on
Till I fulfilled my dream

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I pray to god daily

He always thinks
I am a bigger than the others
I can abuse more loudly
Play tricks
Cheat more than anybody
Living in hate
Always trying to prove
I am better than the others
I listen to nobody
I don’t care for any body
I pray to god daily
So that I can go to
Heaven
He forgets
Nothing is hidden
From the god above
He doesn’t like
They way he thinks
The way he acts
God keeps smiling
On his foolish ways
Waiting to send him
To place known as hell

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I Set the Bird Free for the Skies

My wish got fulfilled
When I caught hold of a bird
I decided to cage her
Feed, play and save her
From people and vultures
Preying for her
Making the bird to live longer
I told my wish to the little bird
The little bird replied
You are a greedy man
You have taken my freedom
To fulfill ugly wishes
Now I can’t fly
See the world with my eyes
Sit and nest on trees
You want to me die in captivity
I shall love to die flying
As god destined
I felt
Lead being poured
Into my ears
Tears rolled from my eyes
I set the bird free
For the skies

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I shall do it tomorrow

I shall do it tomorrow
Why wait for tomorrow?
Anything can happen
Today
I shall do it in the
Evening
Why wait for the evening?
Anything can happen
In the morning
So, what should I do?
The answer is simple
Do it now
I am in not in mood
To do it now
Forget the mood
Think twice
The job is important
If not done in time
You shall repent
Later
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I shall listen to my heart

My heart said
Do not wait more
Convey your feelings
To her
My mind stopped me
Raised
Question after question
If she says no
You shall lose
Her forever
Why not wait
For some more time
Till you are not sure
My heart replied
You may be late
May have to repent
Later
The battle between
My heart and the mind
Went on
The result was pathetic
She chose
Someone else
My heart proved right
I then decided
In matter of love
I shall listen to
My heart
Ignore the mind
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I thought men were superior to a women

I thought
Men were superior
To women
To prove it
I repeatedly decide
To ask you to do
Whatever I say
To believe and behave
The way I do
Every time when I face you
My manhood and ego
Melts like an ice lump
Melts in the hot sun
I am on my knees
Seeking your attention
My superiority vanishes
In thin air
I become
A meek pet animal
Enamored by your beauty
I look like a defeated
Enemy
My heart tells my mind
Man can never be
Superior to a woman
True man
Love and respect women
Treat them decently
Never think of superiority
Always keep in mind
Existence of man is
Because of a woman
One and the only
The dear mother

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I Tried To Do What I Could Not Do

I tried to do
What I could not do
I could not do
What I tried to do
I tried to do
What I could do
I could do
What I tried to do
So now
I have decided to do
What I can do
By trying to do
What I cannot do
I shall waste
Time and energy
Failure shall depress me
Causing
Dejection and misery to me

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I wait for the night

I wait for the night
To see the dark sky
Embedded
With twinkling stars
The cool moon
Showering soothing light
I wait for the night
To cuddle in the bed
Under a soft blanket
Close my eyes
Forget the tiredness
Restore my energy
I wait for the night
To have a sound sleep
See sweet dreams
Spent the night
In the land of fairies
I wait for the night
To ask myself
What wrong
I did in the day
To promise myself
Not to repeat it
The next day
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I want nothing.....but her.....

When I am depressed!
I become calm like
The lull after the storm
I want to hear no sound
But her sweet voice
I want to see nothing
But her beautiful face
I want nobody around me
Besides her
Do nothing
But sleep in her arms
Listen to her sweet talks
Drown myself in her love
When I am depressed!
I want nothing.....
But her.....
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I want to face it on my own

I was driving to my Home
Weather was very humid and hot
Saw an old man on the Road
Walking slowly with a stick in Hand
I stopped the car on his Side
Got out with a Smile
Asked him to sit in the Car
So that he can escape the Sun
Without tiring, reach his Destination
The old man Refused
Thanked me for my Courtesy
And Said
Heat of life is more than the Sun
I have faced it throughout my Life
I want to face it on my Own
Self dependence is my rule for Life
Try not to depend on known Unknown
As long as I feel I can
When Not,
I shall leave it to the God Above

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I Want to Meet the Person who Made the Chair

I want to meet
The person who made
The chair
Kings and Politicians
Fight for the chair
Fight may be fair unfair
One goes other comes
The chair remains
Always Waiting
For the old to go
New to occupy
I keep thinking
If only benches were there
Hundreds
Could have sat on them
Fights and killings
Would have been less
Less enmity
Less blood shed

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I wanted to know What’s in my heart

I wanted to know
What’s in my heart
I took a knife
Opened it apart
Lot of blood
I saw
Some deep red
Some deep black
I looked at the red
It was full of
Love and affection
Black was full of
Hate and infection
I was happy and crappy
Thought for a while
Decided to change my style
Live with love and affection
Remove the blood
Of hate and infection
Make all the blood red
Never remember
The word hatred

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I was in bad mood

I was in bad mood
There was total
Gloom
Sun was shining
In the sky
However,
There was no light
In my mind
There was darkness
All around
Pain and agony
Ruled my heart
Thoughts
Made me scary
Increased my worries
My gladness gone
Insecurity
Made me feel alone
Negativity crept in
Positivity gone
Whom to trust?
Whom to believe?
The question remained
Unanswered
Should I talk?
Should I write?
About
What I felt
What I thought
I felt trapped
Like a fly
In the spiders web
Longing to come out
Of my bad mood
Bring back
My rosy smile
Taking life as it came

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I was ten she was eight

I was ten she was eight
She was my classmate
Her innocence
Neat dress, Suave looks
Soft smile
Simple and elegant manners
Attracted me
My heart was not
What it used to be
The heart beats increased
Face blushed
Whenever I saw
Or talked to her
I could not understand
Why and what it was?
I told my mother
About The changes I felt
My mother replied
You are as innocent
As she is
Love for her
Has erupted in your heart
Something nobody can stop
Falling in love is natural
You are the lucky one
Falling for someone
Earlier than others

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I wish every teacher to be like him

It was a
pleasent surprise
My old teacher
Stood in front of me
Hairs white
Wrinkles on the face
But light in the eyes
Still very bright
I bowed and touched his feet
He blessed me with a big smile
Memories took me to
Few years back
I was an orphan
He taught and took care of me
Treated me the best one could
Always smiled
And used tell me
Live with humility,
Help the needy
Never hurt anybody
Put your heart and soul
In whatever you do
I kept his lessons in my mind
Started following them in my life
I got everything I needed
More than I had ever wished
People call me
A successful man
Rolling in money
Liked by every body
I am what I am
All because of him
I wish every teacher
To be like him

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I’m a busy man, I earn as I can

I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
Never bother who created man
I enjoy life as I can
People tell me, Get up early
I sleep late,
So go to hell
I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
Somewhere I read,
pray to god
I don’t have any time for that
I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
Mother says take care of health
I say most important is wealth
I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
Preachers preach,
Never be phony, Live honestly
I say fool as many
Being honest is being lousy
I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
My goal is money
Even if have to kill somebody
Life without money
Is bee without honey
I’m a busy man, I earn as I can
I met with an accident
Nobody lent a helping hand
I realized, I was disliked
I thought with all the might
To make life happy
One has to live rightly
Greed is worst for life
With it one can never rise
I’m a changed man
Contentment is my ambition
Now, I never earn as I can

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If done in time

Little appreciation
Timely consolation
Small
Encouragement
A pat on the back
A warm hug
A kiss on the
Forehead
A small gift
A sweet smile
A patient hearing
A right advice
Heart felt
Thanks and sorry
Can do wonders
If done in time
Can turn enemy
Into a friend
Motivate people
To do their best
Give solace
To their hearts
Help them achieve
The unachievable
Win people
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If Given A Choice

If given a choice
I'll choose
To live in a place
With green trees, colourful plants
Delicious fruits
Coming straight from trees
Beautiful flowers, full of aroma
Colored birds
Chirping and whistling
Without any fear
Flowing water
Enchanting music of nature
Cool breeze blowing
Making every soul happy
Rain and light in plenty
Cool moonlight in the night
No disease no hunger
No one preying on other
Fear of death
Hate and enemy unheard
Peace all around
All lives enjoying
Love and only love
In vicinity
Praying to god
To give immortality

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If I Can

If
I Can
 Feel you
Understand you
Sacrifice for you
Take care of you
Listen to you
Appreciate you
Accept you
Dream of you
Not
Find faults in you
Dominate you
And
Love you
From the core of
My heart
What else
 Can I do to have
You?

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I'm As Young As I Was

I stand
In front of the mirror daily
I ask myself
What has changed in me?
Between yesterday and today
I do not get an answer
I feel I am as young as I was
This goes on for years
I see white hairs
Wrinkles on the face
One day
Have I become old?
I ask myself
I do not get an answer
I feel I am as young as I was
Life goes on and on
One day
I find it difficult to stand
My image in the mirror
Looks blurred
Hands tremble
When combing the hair
Have I become old?
I ask myself
I do not get an answer
I feel I am as young as I was
One day I am in bed
I am told,
I am sick and old
No, I say
I may be old in age
But not at heart
In the mind
I am as young as I was
I got well
I still stand
In front of the mirror daily

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In search of truth

In search of truth
Fed up with the falsehood
I became a discontented soul
I read books
Met scholars
Tried all that was possible
Every time I thought
I have got what I wanted
I found I was wrong
I was, where I was
I met an old man
Who told me
To reduce my desires
Try to be happy
With what I have
I decided to try
Put his advice into action
Not to mention
Truth seems nearer
I am happier
Than ever before

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Incomplete Message

I reached her home
To find a big lock
Mischievously
Smiling at me
My eagerness
To meet my beloved
Turned into a long wait
Through out the day
she had vanished
As smoke
Does in thin air
I walked
With a heavy heart
Back towards my home
Midway I saw her
Coming towards me
Seeing me
She ran like a hare
Opened her arms
Sobbingly hugged me
Asked
Where were you
I waited for you
The whole day
At your home
I realized
It was my fault
An incomplete
Message
Had Created
The confusion
Kept us away
From each other
My message to her
we shall meet today
Was incomplete
Like a
Half-cooked dish,
she thought
we would meet
At my home
I thought the
Other way round
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Indecision is A Decision

At times I decide
Not to decide
This indecision
Is not indecision
It is in fact a decision
Of avoiding to decide
Because If I decide
The decision
May ultimately decide
The pending decision
And the resulting decision
May not allow me
To take any decision
In the future

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Introspection

Introspection
Is a conscious
Purposive process
Relying on thinking
And
Reasoning
Inspecting
The account
Of your deeds
And thoughts
In solace
By your own self
By talking
To your conscience
Candidly admitting
Your mistakes
Without any coercion
Or pressure
Promising to yourself
Agreeing on your own
Not to repeat them

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Isn't she crazy?

She is a crazy girl

Giggles & laughs

Very Frequently

Keeps running

Here and there

Without resting

Cooks mouth

Watering dishes

Write beautiful poems

Entertains guests

Willingly

Liked by friends

Loves her family

Concerned about

People in agony

A wonderful friend

A pleasant company

Never frowns

Never grins

Helps the needy

Keeps working like a

Tireless monkey

Teaches people

How to remain fit

But careless about

Herself

Goes on suffering

But keeps smiling

Bears the pain

Without complaining

When asked

Why don't you

Visit a doctor?

Ok, Ok do not bother

I shall take care

Is her sweet reply

That makes me think

Isn't she crazy?

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It is for one to decide

They kill
They cheat
They deceive
Makes others cry
They smile
They Forget
They have to reply
To the lord above
Where no one is
Spared
Rewarded or punished
For the deeds
Committed
One has to go
Either to heaven
Or to hell
It is for one to decide
Where the journey
Should end

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It is not possible to forget you

When I am lonely

Words flow

Out of my soul

I write poetry

When I am depressed

I write

What is in my heart?

When I am disturbed

I remember people

With soothing faces

When I am irritated

I Shout on

The top of my voice

When I am happy

I sing and dance

However,

Whatever I do

In all circumstances

I miss you

When I miss you

I cry and cry

Tears flow from

My eyes

At any time

It is not possible

To forget you

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It was dark when she came

It was dark
When she came
Darkness went away
Paving way
For the light which
Now shone
Her beauty
Gave solace to
All the souls
Desperation gone
Hope and desire
Now ruled
Over
Failures

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It was my duty, to help somebody

Looted by robbers
Badly injured
He was crying in pain
His money gone
He was driving on a remote road
He had trusted two lift seekers
Responded to their request
Of dropping them
To the next station
Never in his life
He shall help and trust anybody
How much in distress one may be
It’s my vow he said to himself
A hand on his shoulder
Brought him out of his thoughts
There was a person
Standing near by
He took him to the hospital
Got him treated, gave food to eat
Took his full care
Kept him in his house
Till he became alright
Gave money to him
Dropped him at the station
While departing
Tears flowing from his eyes
Thank you he said
To the god like person
It was my duty, to help somebody
In distress, came the reply
He now vowed, he shall also help
People in distress
Without bothering
In return
What he shall get?

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Its Morning

Its morning
Sun rising
Moon hiding
Birds chirping
Flowers blooming
Eyes opening
Many waking
Many sleeping
Dew on the leaves
Evaporating
Bees humming
Church bell ringing
Silence going
Noise increasing
Life keeps moving
Like ever before
Night or morning
Same story again

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Journey of life is ugly As well as nice

Journey of life is ugly
As well as nice
Nice we forget
Ugly we remember
In heart and mind
Depress our thoughts
Day and night
Never thank god
For the nice
Value what you possess
Thank god
For your success
Forget the ugly
Make life bubbly
Nurture your future
Sooner or later
You will make it bright
Wounds of past you suture
Remove them
From heart and mind

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Journey of love

Life is strange
Sometimes sweet
Sometimes sour
suddenly you meet
Someone
Judge him by
The way he talks
The way he behaves
Carefully scrutinize
His every thought
A liking develops
want to
See more of him
Waiting for him
Becomes agonizing
He captures your
Dreams
Your thoughts
Revolves around him
Love starts blooming
Both of you decide
To spent life together
Nobody knows
What shall happen?
In the future
It May be sweet
It May be sour
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Last meeting

Eye in eye
Starring each other
With pain of departing
Lips wanting to say
Something
But locked in misery
Tears flowing
Sad faces
Broken hearts
Not ready to bear
The pain of separating
Minds puzzled
Unable to decide
How they shall live
Without each other
It was their last meeting
Before departing

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Let others remember you when you go

Festival
comes and goes
Events come and go
Child hood goes
Youth comes
Youth goes
Old age comes
And one will go
People come and go
Memories remain
embedded deep
in heart and mind
We live on memories
Why not
Create good memories
Let others remember you
when you go

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Let holi (festival of colors) remain holy

Let holi (festival of colors) remain holy
Don't make it unholy
Colors of love
Respecting others
Makes it rosy
Top it up with with
Smile and laughter
Never regret there after
Sprinkle it with
Water of Humility
Remove hatred from the
Heart daily
Remain happy till
Infinity
Play holi
With all the glory
And enjoy it fully

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Let Me Laugh Again

Oh, lord
Hear my prayer
Do not
Snatch the flower
Of laughter
From the plant of
My life
Take my sorrows
Give back my laughter
Pour rain
On the dry earth
Make it wet again
Wash negative thoughts
With the water of positivity
Let the plant of life
Bloom again
I do not ask
For money and pleasure
I pray to you
Give back my courage
Restore my confidence
Leave me with a
Positive attitude
I am tired of
Seeing darkness
All around
Let my life shine
Again
With the light
Of love and affection
Oh, lord
Shower your blessings
On me
Let me laugh again

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Let them share, all what I see with my eyes

Twinkling eyes,
She was
Staring the skies
Praying
To the almighty
Oh lord, give sight
To the ones without it
Let them also see
The nature’s beauty
The flowing water
Beautiful birds
Green trees
Blooming flowers
Mountains
And the blue sky
The living beings
You created
Nears and dears
Whose
Voice they hear
Let them share
All what I see
With my eyes
If needed take
One of mine

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Let’s create windows In our minds

Houses and buildings
Have Windows
Buses and trains
Too have windows
When open
Light and fresh air
Comes in through them
Allows foul air to go out
When closed
Prevents Dust and filth
From coming in
Let’s create windows
In our minds
Allow good thoughts
To come in and enlighten
The mind
Let the bad thoughts go out
Close the window of the mind
When bad thoughts
Try to intrude in
Listen to what people say
With an open mind

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Let’s remain human

I don’t know
Whether there is a hell
 Or there is a heaven
I know for certain
One who can’t sleep well?
Feels night is a hell
One who doesn’t smile
Is not happy for a while
One who is selfish
Life he can never relish
One who’s friend is anger
Is always the loser
One who doesn’t have
A heart full of love
Never liked by god above
Forget about hell
Let’s remain human
And go to heaven

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Lie Versus Truth

I always
Speak the truth
But
How can I lie?
Since I speak truth
I admit
Sometimes
 I also speak lies
Unable to decide
I am truthful
Or a liar
I expressed
My dilemma
To an old saint
Who replied?
A liar is a liar
Similar to a sinner
All said and done
A truth
Which can take a life?
Is worse than a lie
A lie
Which can save a life?
Is better than
Any truth

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Life does not stop

Life does not stop
It goes on
Either in pain
Slowly
Or
Gallops happily
Either smiling
Or
Crying
Either in peace
Or
Turmoil
The only difference is
It either stops
Before time
With a Face
Writhing in pain
Gloom in the eyes
Or
In time
With contentment
On the face
Shine in the eyes
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Life has become dull and boring without you

Passing time

Has become difficult

For me

I switch on the TV

Find no program

Worth seeing

I try to hear music

It hurts my ears

I try to read a book

Do not understand

A word of it

I sit in the garden

The flies bother me

I stand in the window

The cold air hurts me

I do not know what to do?

You, not being near me

Makes me feel

Everything is useless

Life has become dull

And boring without you

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Life is a game Everybody plays

Life is a game
Everybody plays
Some call it a game
Some take it as
Honor or shame
Some play only to win
Never to loose
Flouting all the rules
To the level of hate
And pride
Some play according
to the rules
And play it as
A game
If they win,
Never find pride
On their side
On loosing never hide
No hate no shame
Is the way of life
Play life as a game
One has to win
Other to loose
Result is the same
In all the games

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Life is a pandora's box

Some
Say life is nothing
But an unfulfilled dream
I feel life is a
Pandora's Box
Nobody knows
What shall come out of it?
It is full of all possible
Combinations
From expected
To unexpected
Emotion to intellectual
It has misery and sorrow
Laughter and happiness
Love and hate
Peace and war
Victory and defeat
Success and failure
Birth and death
The irony is
Everybody has to
Experience all these
Once at least
One who has to
Suffer more
Feels life is thorny
One who has to
Suffer less
Feels it is a
Bed of roses
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Life is a Poem

Life is a Poem
Read it or Write it
Create it
Never regret it
Enjoy it
Don’t look at the Words
Forget the Poet
Read the message in it
If you like it
Adapt it
Do not reject it
Simply forget it
Read the next poem
If you like it
Embed it in the Heart
Spread the Message
Enjoy life’s Passage

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Life is a puzzle

Life is a puzzle
More you try to solve
More it entangles
Sometimes one enjoys
Sometimes one hates
At times
One feels near
At times far
From solving it
Some lose hope
Some keep trying
Life goes on and on
The puzzle
Remains unsolved

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Life Is A Wheel

Life
Is a wheel
The heart, brain,
Lung lever, kidney
The spokes
The blood works
The same way as
The air in the tube
Of the body like tire
A small leak
Can make the tire flat
One broken spoke
Can halt the wheel
The living
Becomes dead
The present
Turns into past
Let the
Wheel of life move
Exercise a bit
Keep the spokes fit
Air full
Live as long as the
Almighty wants

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Life Is Beautiful

Life is beautiful
It's god’s gift to you
It is neither a bed of roses
Nor a thorny mattress
Never feel depressed
When you are distressed
Take life as it comes
Do not cry in difficulties
Take them as a challenge
Face them
With determination
Treat fellow beings
With love and affection
Life is wonderful
Life is beautiful
Life is a battle
One has to fight
Never cheat never steal
Help the needy
Serve the humanity
Work hard
To achieve your goal
Never hurt a single soul
Respect the elders
Love the younger
Make lots of friends
And enjoy the life

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Life Is Like A Spiders Web

Life is
Like a spiders web
Many tiny strands of
Desire, relations
Greed and love
Woven together
Makes it complex
If desires are fulfilled
Life looks rosy
If relations with
People are nice
Life is happy
Without greed
Life becomes easy
When love is all around
Life is like
A merry go around

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Life Is Not what One Wishes

Ask the guru, ask the saint
Ask the living, ask the dead
Life is not what one wishes
Whether one wanted it or not
It is what you lived
Keep hoping for the best
You get it or not
Nobody knows

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Life isn’t Forever, Everybody Withers

Life is not forever
Everybody withers
And reaches the end
Laugh and smile
As much as you can
Love throughout the life span
Moments of bitterness
Shall come
Survival will be very hard
At times
Be calm and patient
Difficulties shall disappear
Keep the mind cool
Agitated mind
Spoil’s the mood
Wrong decisions will be taken
One will have to repent later
Take life as it comes
Enjoy every moment
If not done yet
Do not repent
Start now

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Life Keeps On Revolving Around Fate

We came
To this world
Because of Fate
We all think of fate
Pray and meditate
Look at god in hope
Because of faith
He is the one
Who decides the fate?
Happiness, unhappiness
Success and failure
Are all one’s fate
Death is unavoidable
But when one get’s it?
Is fate
Some believe some don’t
Life keeps on
Revolving around fate

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Life Loses, Death Wins

He is no more
No voice, no whisper
Eyes still
He has gone for forever
No discontentment
No worries
Every thing has crumbled
And frozen
The body
Has to disintegrate
Ocean of memories
Shall remain
Photographs
In photo frames
And albums
Reminding of his
Existence and fragrance
For few loving
He has walked away
Silently
Leaving few souls
In agony
Life loses
Death wins

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Life to him was an unpleasant necessity

Face pale
Perspiration dripping
Breathing heavily
His legs tiring
He was using
Full energy
In pulling the weight
Of heavy and wealthy
For the sake of
Two little meals
For him and his family
He was a poor
Rickshaw driver
With no other means
No other choice
Life to him was an
Unpleasant necessity

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Life Without Dreams

I dream
In the darkness
Of night
Not to see them
At sunrise
They vanish
With the darkness
Leaving them
For another night
Dreams mean
More than reality
To me
Life without dreams
Is like being alone
For me

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Life's Bitter Reality

She saw me
She stared at me
She smiled
Started talking
Sharing her
Thoughts with me
It became a daily routine
My happiness increased
Day by day
Future looked bright and rosy
Full of love in reality
I started imagining
Meetings will change
Into togetherness
All of a sudden
Lightening struck me
She was not to be seen
Suddenly
No information on
Where she has gone
She left me guessing
My dreams shattered
I became dejected
My dreams ended
Woke me up to show
Life’s bitter reality

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Life's crossroads

When one finds
Himself
Stuck at life’s
Crossroads
One feels perplexed
And anxious to the core
Unable to decide
What to do?
Where to go?
Unable to decide
Eyes keep
Looking all around
Looking for a soul
Who can guide
And
Lead to the path of
Success
Put a stop to the turmoil
Give peace to the
Restless mind

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Light of love burns deep inside me

Light of love burns
deep inside me
Neither seen or felt by
any one besides me
Fire never dies
Rapidly increases as day passes
Loneliness makes me shiver
Night haunts me
Darkness ignites the desire in me
Her memories fuels the light in me
I remember her smile
Eyes explore her in the darkness
through out the night
She does not arrive
the morning sun rises
devoid of any light for me
I am still groping in the darkness
around me
Light deep inside increases
with passing of time
I keep waiting and waiting
For her to be on my side

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Lives far away from me

She may be away
From me on the land
Very far by distance
But close to my heart and soul
She is half my age
Loves me
More than anyone can
I remember her naughty deeds
And what she said to me
As soon as I entered the house
She would run
And take me in her arms
She left me crying
To start a new life
I miss her, she misses me
Throughout the day
Throughout the night
I think of her, she thinks of me,
Keeps talking to me on the phone
Be it morning, be it night
The best think happened to me
When she joined the family?
As a cute and bubbly baby
She is my daughter
Lives far away from me

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Living with greed

I win
You lose
I smile you cry
I and me
Have overtaken
We and you
Relations
Less important
Than me
Winning
By hook or crook
Is now the goal
For me
Says the one
Living with greed

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Lost in Memories, Remembering The Good and Ugly

Lost in memories
Remembering
The good and ugly
Worrying about
Day to day problems
My head started aching
I took a pill
Waited for some time
Without any relief
My heart told me to leave
Thinking
Asked me to sit in the garden
Look at the flowers
Hear the chirping of birds
Feel the cool air that flowed
Admire the nature at it best
I did what my heart said
Within no time
I forgot my pain
I was now enjoying
The gift of god
Relieved of stress
Thoughts stopped coming
My mind became fresh
I felt happy and calm

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Love can be pure

I really liked her
Her grace and elegance
 Enamored me
Her beauty attracted me
Her dressing floored me
She had something
 More than any body
I admired her as a personality
Somebody whom
One would like to talk to
Whenever I saw her,
I smiled at her
I tried to talk to her
She ignored me
Thinking
I am making passes at her
She never realized
Anybody can like anybody
Love can be pure,
Full of humanity
Without any desire
Of lust and indignity
Intentions as pure
As a child’s heart
Can be misunderstood
By one and all

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Love is a two-way agony

Love is a
Two-way agony
Does not spare
Any body
Both keep waiting
Both keep dreaming
Thoughts keep coming
Both keep hoping
Both keep praying
Till not together
Live in misery
Both keep crying
When one
Leaves the world
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Love Is In Deeds, Doesn’t Exist In Words

Love is

Togetherness

Love is

Missing each other

Love is

Caring for the other

Love is

Crying and laughing

Together

Love is

Respecting Each other

Love is

Sacrificing For the other

Love is

Not expecting from the other

Love is

Not thinking about one self

Without the other

Love is in deeds

Doesn’t exist in words

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Love is not holding hands

Love is not holding hands
Not fulfilling bodily desire
Eyes in eyes
Making promises
Of dying for each other
Each tells
Without one life will be hell
Missing each other
From morning to evening
Every moment
One is waiting for the other
Love is caring
Understanding each other
Sacrificing ego and pleasure
Forgetting self
Living for the other
Trust and faith never shaken
No doubt ever comes in mind
One is never complete
Without the other

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Love Knows No Boundaries

Love
Knows no boundaries
Is not limited to any
Age Cast color or creed
Comes naturally
In compassionate hearts
When two hearts vibe
With each other
Speak
The same language
Throb for each other
Comes instantly
Creates
An unending desire
Of being together

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Love Never Dies on Earth or Heaven It, Lives For Ever

I gave my heart
And soul to her
Living without her
Was difficult
Wanted to marry her
Spend my life in love
Like a hand in the glove
My plans failed
My dreams shattered
She left for heaven
I cried and cried
Till the tears dried
Losing her
Was a shock
Out of the blue
Difficult to bear
Deep in despair
Thinking about her
My eyes closed
I went to sleep
She came in
My dreams
Whispered
In my ears
Humans die
Love never dies
On earth or heaven
It lives for ever

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Love story

He loved her
She loved him
He gave her, his heart
She gave him, her soul
Gifts exchanged
Unable to meet
Desires remained
Unfulfilled
They remained apart
No hope to meet
He committed suicide
She also died
Fate wins
Love loses
Sad end to a love
Story
Which remained
Incomplete

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Love Thy Neighbor

His teachers taught him
Love thy neighbor
Talk sweetly to them
Place you may choose
Neighbors you can’t
He followed the teachings
Started loving the girl
Next door
Talked to her
In the sweetest tone
Married the girl
Settled in a far place
In the loneliness of the jungle
Where he had
No neighbors at all

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Make future rosy and bright

Feeling depressed
Sitting in my garden
On a chair
Hands under the chin
Face writhing in agony
Lost in thoughts
Deep and despair
Events moving like a film
in the mind
remembering past deeds
haunting me day and night
unable to decide
to live or die
a hand on my shoulder
revived me of my agony
I moved my eyes
Saw my mother behind
I am with you
She said smilingly
Repent by smiling
and making others smile
Never hurt a soul
Forget harsh words
Making others angry
Say sorry
when you hurt somebody
learn from the past
Make future rosy and bright
Never forget
I'm always with you

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Make unconscious people conscious

She was weak and hungry
Her clothes in tatters
Tears in her eyes
Her child in the lap
Crying for food
She kept on asking for help
Nobody listened,
Nobody bothered
All went passing, ignoring her
Ultimately she fainted
Passersby collected
Showing sympathy for her
Volunteers came
From Help women Organization
Straightway went into action
They took her to the hospital
Gave food to the child
She was better and back in senses
She decided to feign unconsciousness
Next time when she needed help
Make unconscious people conscious
When they don’t listen to
Needy and helpless

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Man v/s Woman

Man says
Men
Are greater than woman
Woman says
Women
Are greater than men
The fight of supremacy
Never ends
The fact is
She gave birth to him
And he the god
Created her
Let us agree now
Both are equal to each other
Without one
It shall be impossible to live
For the other

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Me and mine remembered our and ours forgotten

“Me” and “mine”
Remembered
“Our” and “ours” forgotten
The web of greed
Increasing
Trust in our own
Decreasing
Everybody forgetting
Many threads make a rope
Rope can withstand
Typhoons jointly
Even mild breeze
Can fly a single thread
In anonymity
Being together
Makes everybody strong
Only me
Makes one succumb
Easily
So forget “me”
Say “ours”
Make yourself
Safe and secure
Live with love for the other
Others shall take
Your care

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Memories Are Like an Open Window

Memories are like
An open window
Keep coming
Throughout the life
Bringing the past
In front of you
Good ones make
You nostalgic
Giving a feeling of
Cool soothing breeze
Touching your face
Bad ones you do not
Like to remember
They leave a bad taste
In the mouth
You feel like
Being burnt in hot sun
Memories
Cannot be avoided
Sometimes bring smile
Sometimes agony
What may come?
You cannot close
The doors of
Your memory window
They remain open
As long as you live

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Memories haunt me

Memories haunt me
I think of friends
Who cared for me?
They are no more?
Left for heavenly abode
Earlier then I thought
They were needed more there
Left me crying here
I wish to meet them
In my dreams
They never fulfill
The desire I keep
I am determined
To meet them again
If not in my dreams
Then in the heaven
Where they live
It’s up to god
When calls me there
Till then I have to wait
And cry here

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Memory Brings Back My Old Friends To Me

Memory
Brings back
My old friends
To me
I can hear them
Talking to me
Their laughter
Enthralls me
Their advice
Encourages me
I feel they are sitting
Very close to me
I feel happy
My mind full of
Peace
I completely forget
They had died
Long ago
Thinking about them
Makes me nostalgic
Revives good time
I had spent with them
Reduces my agony
And loneliness
For a while

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Mistaken Identity

I could see her
Behind the glass doors
Unaware of my presence
She was busy in her work
To seek her attention
I waved at her
Threw small pebbles
At the door
So engrossed she was
Did not pay
Any heed to my efforts
I was dejected
Did not know
What more to do
In frustration
I picked a bigger pebble
Threw it with all the might
It banged against the door
Shattered the glass
With a big sound
She heard the sound
Opened the door
Yelled at me
Who are you?
And
What do you want?
I anxiously looked at her
To my surprise
She was her twin sister
Without waiting more
I ran away from there

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Mother

Everybody utter
They love their mother
Many of them
Do not respect woman
One who is a mother to other?
Or one day
Shall become a mother
A mother is a mother
Same sacrifices same pains
She has to bear
May be a king
May be a pauper
None could exist
Without a woman
Known as a mother

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Mother earth is crying

Mother earth is crying
The way man is treating
Water in scarcity
Rivers not deep
Houses and houses
Whole earth
Filled with factories
Their waste spoiling the soil
Creating a big turmoil
Greenery decreasing
Trees cut without thinking
Forests shrinking
Cities are increasing
Animals are dying
Snow melting
Heat is increasing
Mining and digging
Are like stabbing
Mother earth on the chest
For few grand
Lakes are full of filth
Fewer trees for shelter
Fewer birds now chirp
Let wisdom arrive
Don’t play with nature
Otherwise all will cry
No man will survive
Humans now wake
For your own sake

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Music of nature

I forget all other sounds
When I listen
To the music of nature
It soothes my heart and soul
It’s pleasing to my ears
Sound of flowing water,
Chirping of birds
Pouring of rain,
Whistling of the wind
Takes me to the world of god
Rattling of leaves on the tree
Humming of bees
Buzzing of wasps is
Devotional music to my ears?
I feel nearer to god
Whenever I listen
To the music of nature

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My childhood

When I peep into my past
I remember my childhood
The carefree, wonderful world of my life
Nothing to bother, nothing to think
Lot of fun, lot of play
When wrong I did, said sorry to mamma
Don’t do it again was mamma’s answer
My legs ached after lot of play
Mamma would massage them at the end of the day
Who washed my clothes?
What to wear I never thought
Lot of friends
Hindu or Muslim was never the question
Climbing on the trees
Catching butterflies was the favourite pastime
Wanted everyday to be a Sunday
Getting up early I never liked
Sleeping late in the morning was my desire
How papa earns was never my concern
Brothers and sisters all loved me
I was the youngest in the family
I pray to god take the money and all the worries
And give me back my child hood

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My dear cigarette

My dear cigarette
Now I shall have to
Depart from you
I have realized
Your company is not
Good for me
In the disguise
Of a friend
You are an enemy
To me
I candidly admit
When I was alone
You gave me company
When I was tense
You relaxed me
When I used to drink
You increased my
Pleasure
When I was young
With you, I felt modern
All said and done
You damaged my lungs
Your smoke causes
Irritation too many
Damages their health
As it damaged mine
Kills people before time
Your smoke is
No less than a fire
Which burns?
A person from inside
I do not want
Others to accept
Your gift of cancer
As I did
Now I bid
Farewell to you
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My Desire Remained A Desire

My desire
Remained a desire
Never got fulfilled
So I decided
To make another desire,
I prayed to god
To give me strength
Not to desire
After few days
I asked god
What happened to?
My desire
Of not desiring
God said to me
Since you desired
Not to ever desire
If I fulfill it
You shall not get
What you desired
If I do not fulfill
Your desire
You shall keep on
Complaining
About unfulfilment
Of desire
So my advice is
Desire less
Remain contented
Do not expect much
As expectation breeds
Frustration
And frustration breeds
Anger
In anger one looses cool
Becomes
Rash and purposeless

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My Desire Remains Unfulfilled

Waves
Are never satisfied
They come
In leaps and bounds
With full enthusiasm
Meet the shore
Surrender in
Totality
Consumed
By the shore
They calm down
Like a
 Woman does
After meeting her
Beloved
Her desires fulfilled
Only to return
With more vigour
As if to say
I shall keep coming
Again and again
Till you do not quench
My thirst for love
And
My desire remains
Unfulfilled
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My dream ended before seeing it

It was raining cats and dogs
She was drenching in the rain all alone
I was watching seeing her agony
Finding a way so that she looks at me
My efforts didn’t go in vain
Ultimately she looked at me
I smiled at her, she waved at me
My heart jumped in joy,
Ran fast to be near her
Rain had stopped, I said hello to her
She responded by a hi to me
Suddenly A car stopped on the side
She didn’t say a word and sat inside
I could neither cry nor say bye to her
My dream ended before seeing it

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My Eyes Remained Wide Open

I wondered
What made
 The dark black night
Shine
With so much light
I heard a sound
Moved my eyes
All around
To find her standing
Her body
Draped in a black veil
Her moon like face
Emitting dazzling light
That made the dark night
Bright
Her mesmerizing beauty
Left me gaping
My eyes
Remained wide open
Could not believe
Beauty
Can be so captivating
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My heart bleeds, When you weep

My heart bleeds
When you weep
Tears flow but not seen
Wanna reduce your misery
Not see you unhappy
Give back your glory
Wanna Pay for the sins,
committed Unknowingly
Wanna see you happy
Your smile is blessing to me
You are full of energy
Wish you, use it fully
I'm always with you
I'll make you believe you
You are always in me
I'm sure god listens to me
 your dreams come true
Wanna see you bubbling
Laughing, Smiling
Always praying for you
Hope you trust me
Believe me
Love me as I do
Have faith in almighty
He shall certainly
Listen to you
May god bless you

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My hearts window remains open

My
hearts window
Remains open
To welcome
Guests
Of all ages
Cast and creed
Man or woman
Is not my choice
Loving each other
With all purity
Without any desire
To win or lose
Becomes an equal
Member of
My hearts fraternity

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My mother’s lap

I opened my eyes
I found myself
In my mother’s lap
I cried, I played,
Laughed and smiled
In my mother’s lap
I grew older
But it was still mine
When tired, to rest
I climbed in the lap
When shy,
I hid my face
When hungry
She fed me in her lap
When sleepy
I used it as a bed
Warm and secure
Full of love
It was the coziest place
I could have
I am an old man
But never forget
The luxury
Of my mother’s lap
The most precious
Possession
I ever had
Tears flow from my eyes
Makes me nostalgic
Whenever I remember
My mother’s lap

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My Neighbor

He is my neighbor
I am his neighbor
We are friends
To each other
He helps me
I listen to him
He is kind to me
I spent time with him
He cares for for me
I eat with him
We never question
Who
Does more for whom?
More than neighbors
We are brothers
Living apart
Still together

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Never blame any body

I wished
I shall win the competition
I lost it
I prayed to god
I don’t want to suffer in pain
The prayer went in vain
I had a fall
Had to bear lot of pain
I wanted to pass in exams
I failed
I started grumbling
Blaming everybody
And my destiny
For all that I wanted
And I didn’t get
I stopped working
I stopped praying
Lost all hopes
If ever, I would be happy
I met an old man
Who was a famous painter?
He couldn’t walk
And suffered
From a serious disease
He was laughing and smiling
Talking to everybody
With grace and poise
I asked the old man
How is he so happy?
I haven’t lost hope
I pray to god
Never blame any body
For my destiny
Take life as it comes
Work as much as I can
Came the reply
I got the message
Embossed it in my mind
I pray to god daily
Keep the old man
Happy and alive

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Never Met Her

I loved her
But never met her
She came in my dreams
Without makeup or cream
She was beautiful
From every angle
She had a soft voice
Full of poise
Her smile
Enough to mesmerize
Her eyes
Could keep anyone tied
Her dress
Full of grace
She went away
When the church bell
Rang faraway
I keep waiting for her
Throughout the year
Pray to god daily
Make me happy
Give me chance
To meet her at once

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Never say, Never again

Never
Say never again
If you ever say, never again
You shall never be able to
Say never again
Even when you want to
Say never again
So say if not now
Than may be
Sometime later
But never say, never again
If you can’t understand
What I have written
Then read again
But for god sake
Do not say
Never again
You shall read anything
On never again
And please do not ask
Why I have written?
So much on never again
The answer is very simple
So that you read it
Again and again
And than say
Oh! my god
Never again

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Never thinks of being happy, with what one possesses

Everybody dreams
Throughout the life
Always searching
For better living
Fulfilling the desires
Remains the motive
Discontentment comes
When the same is not achieved
Frustration creeps in
Misery sets in
Happiness not to be seen
Keep sweating
Lose sleep
Priorities keep changing
Every day
Wishes increase
Loses peace
Lives in agony
Ready to compromise
With unholy deeds
Forgets the path of god
Wanders like a fraud
Cheating himself
To fulfill the endless wishes
Never thinks of being happy
With what one possesses

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Never to be trapped In negative thoughts

Nothing was going right
Success not to be seen
Failure all around
The world looked like hell
Everybody, a devil
I was sad and depressed
Unable to sleep
I took a pill
Don’t remember
When the eyes closed?
I was going deep
 In an unexplored black hole
The journey seemed endless
Didn’t know when it shall end?
I began to fear
Remembered god
Get me out of the mess
Then, I saw ray of light
Felt as if
The journey was come to its end
I heard a voice
Which woke me from my sleep?
Drenched in perspiration
I opened my eyes
Mother standing on my side
Her hands in my hair
Her eyes wet
Don’t worry, she said
Have faith in god and belief in your self
Everything will be all right
My fear gone
Full of hope
I got up from the bed
With greater determination
To work harder for my goal
Never to be trapped
In negative thoughts

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Nobody likes

Nobody likes

A plant

Without flower buds

A flower bud that does not

Bloom in to a flower

A flower

That is not beautiful

Nobody remembers

A flower

That does not have

An aromatic smell

A person

Who does not have a

Charming behavior

Whose deeds do not?

Spread

Aroma in the world

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Nobody Likes Unwanted Advice

I thought
I knew too much
Advising people
Was my birth right
Whosoever he may be
Got my free advice
On any subject,
Any situation
I would poke my nose
Without hesitation
As times passed
I found myself in isolation
Disturbed and dejected
I asked my father
The reason for this
My father replied
You think
You know too much
What you know
Is not enough
Nobody likes
Unwanted advice
Give it only
When requested

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Nobody Listens To Anybody

Nobody listens
To anybody
Everybody thinks
He knows the most
Starts speaking
Before hearing
What
The other person
Is saying
If he agrees
He is intelligent
And
Receptive
If he doesn't
He is an adamant
Fool

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Now I preach not to do, what I did

I wanted money
I got it
I wasted it
I lost it
I wanted education,
I got it
I wanted more of it
But did not work hard for it
I could not get it
I wanted love from everybody
I got it
I lived with hate
Nobody loved me
I wanted a good healthy body
I got it
I did not care for my health
I became sick
Everybody listened to me
I did not listen to any body
Nobody bothered
What I said
I kept complaining
Nobody listened
I am a lonely, sick, broken man
Wiser after the event
I know what to do
Now I preach not to do
What I did
To do, what I did not do

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Now I'm With You

What should I do?
To attract you
Should I dress smartly?
Laugh heartily
Talk sweetly
Show my wealth to you
Sing a love song
Write love letters to you
I have not got an answer
Not your fault entirely
I have never had the guts
To ask you
What you need
What you desire
From a person
Who loves you?
Thoughts never ended
My desire
Remained unfulfilled
Till the time
A friend told me
I need to have
A compassionate heart
Full of care and warmth
Ready to sacrifice
My comforts for you
Live life honestly
To posess you
I did that
And
Now I am with you

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Now Life or death didn’t matter to me

I wrote a letter to her
Filled it with choicest words
Expressing
My love and desire for her
Full of hope
Kept waiting for days
Lost my peace, lost my sleep
Waiting for the postman
To bring a message from her
My heart pained
Anxiety increased
I did not hear from her
I didn’t know what to do
Kept praying to god
One day the postman came
The address was not correct he said
Returned the letter back to me
I decided to give my life away
Ran towards the river bridge
To jump into the river beneath
There I saw somebody jumped
Before I could
A letter was lying on the ground
I picked the letter
Read it with a heavy heart
To learn it was written by her
She ended her life
Waiting to hear from me
She could not contact me
As I had changed my house
I became a living, dead
Now Life or death
Didn’t matter to me

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On a hot summer afternoon

On a hot summer afternoon
I open the window and listen
To the flowing wind
Dry leaves on the tree rustle
The atmosphere filled with dust
The sun shines
Emitting tremendous heat
Making the wind hot and severe
Everybody on the street
Runs for shade
Throats dry
Thirst for water increases
Every soul
Search for a glass of cold water
Birds and animal rest in shades
Waiting for the sun to set
I close the window
In a huff
Never to open and feel the wind
On another hot summer afternoon

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On A Railway Platform

The world
Becomes small
On a railway platform
Irrespective of
Cast, color or creed
Old and young
Rich and poor
Known, unknown
Meet
Arrive and depart
The loved ones
Are received and sent off
Tears of happiness
And sorrow flow
Bustles
With noise and activity
Anxiety leaves
When the train arrives
Turns in to place with
Death like silence
Once it whistles
Leaves
For its destination
The world
Becomes still
On a railway platform

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On a Winter Morning It Was Raining

On a winter
Morning
It was raining
Under a colorful
Umbrella
she was walking
From her face
Drops of water
Trickling
Cold breeze
Increased her
Shivering
Her teeth clattering
Feet soaked in water
Every step she took
Splashed it more
Wetting her shoes
Again and again
She was eager
To reach home
Anxiety increasing
More and more
No sign of the rain
Stopping
She started cursing
The rain and the weather
No sooner
She reached home
The downpour
Stopped
She looked at the skies
With inquiring eyes
As if asking
Why it didn't stop?
When she was
Walking

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On the life of a great player

He was a great player
Won continuously for years
He was on the top
Of his career
Started taking the game
With leisure
Careless he became
Practice becoming rare
Overconfidence took its toll
His performance decorated
With every game he played
Ultimately tasted defeat
At the hands of
Unknown players
Could not digest
Defeat with ease
Turned into a bad loser
His behavior changed
Arrogant he became
Indulged
In extramarital affairs
Lost money and fame
Took the path of
An unknown
Never to regain
The crown he wore
Realizing his mistakes
He is trying hard
To get
What he had given
Of his own fault
May god fulfill his
Desire
(On the life of a great player, no intention to hurt anybody in person)
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Once One Knows Himself

Once one
Knows himself
Knows humanity
Knows the road to
God's house
Do what he likes
Finds
Peace and solace
In life
Enmity and hate
Is left behind
Feels every person
As his own
Once he leaves
The world
In god's company
Heaven becomes
His new home

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One Has To Move

I drive a car
He rides a motor bike
Everybody moves the way one likes
Go place to place by some means
Camel and bullock cart
In the villages
Some ride
Donkeys and horses since ages
People who live near to water
Move by ship or steamer
Rivers are not big as the sea
One uses boat or ferry
When they move they make merry
Aero planes and helicopters
Reach you faster than others
Riding a bicycle two by two
Is slow but steady
In truck or bus
One has company of many
Travelling by train is very enjoying
Sound of the track and wheels
Resembles rattling of dry leaves
In snow
Sledge pulled by dogs
Is the only choice
Some travel to moon in dreams
Reach everywhere, without any means
Unlike the astronauts,
Who travel by rocket
To go to mars or moon
One thing is certain
One cannot remain calm and still
Either on two legs or by a vehicle
Whether on
Two, three or four wheels
One has to move by
Some means

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Only “Karma” was in my hands

I asked a Veteran Mountaineer
How he reached the top?
He replied calmly
The Mountain was tall and mighty
Climb was steep and high
I wanted to see the World
From the peak of the Mountain
I prepared myself
And started my Journey
Many discouraged
Others created fear in me
I was determined
To achieve my Goal
I remembered the lessons of Geeta
Somebody told
Only “Karma” was in my Hands
I started to climb
Sometimes I lost hold
Sometimes I slipped
But nothing deterred me
I was cautious and patient
Full of concentration
Kept climbing on and on
One day I made it to the top

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Other Side of the Fence Always Looks Green

I saw a bird
Sitting in the window
She looked
Calm and cozy
I told her
She was lucky
Could fly in the sky
Go from place to place
See the world swiftly
She replied
Other side of the fence
Always looks green
I have to save myself
From big birds
Preying on me
Human beings always
Trying to catch me
Hot summer, cold winter
Kills many of us
Throughout the day
I have to search for food
Cannot store food
Like you can do
Our nests are weak
Get easily destroyed
In rain and storm
To save my life from
A boy with a catapult
Searching for me
I am hiding
In the window
Near you

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Over caring

I wanted the bud
To bloom into a flower
Full of
Beauty and fragrance
Pleasing the eyes
Of onlookers
In my haste I poured
More and more water
lot of fertilizer
Dug the soil
Again and again
Try to take care
More than needed
Prune the plant
Beyond necessity
Only to see
The plant dying
My dream shattered
Before I could realize
Over anxiety and care
Giving more than needed
Was the cause of fatality?

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Past paved way for the future

Past paved way
For the present
Shall become past
To pave way for future
The cycle never stops
Present always
Compared to past
A better future
Wished by all
What will come?
Nobody knows
Hope and desire
Never ends
Brings light in eyes
And smile on face
Light or darkness?
Is a question
Answer to which
Nobody knows
One thing is certain
If one lives
Shall become old
Perish with time
Become memory
Of the past

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Patience is the key to survival

Good time comes
Good time goes
Bad time comes
Time keeps changing
Euphoria in good times
Sways us from reality
We tend to be careless
Take things easy
Everything is in disarray
When bad time comes
Every moment becomes difficult
It seems it’s not going to end
We have to be calm
Patience is the key to survival
When bad time comes

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Peeping through the Window of my past

Peeping through the
Window of my past
I saw my weaknesses
At last
Mistakes I committed,
Were written on a wall
They made me look
Very small
My head bowed
In shame
Decided not to
Repeat the same
Never judge others
By what they do
I'll also be judged
On what I do
Keeping my fingers
Crossed
Slowly I walked
On the path of duty
To do it with all my
Ability
Never to think of the
Result
Without fear of
Shame and insult

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People

People
Are for people
People are against
People
People
Make others cry
People make others
Happy
People live for
Themselves
People live for
Others
Strange are
People
Nothing holds
People
After all people
Are people

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People Talk about beauty

People

Talk about beauty

However,

I am confused

About which beauty

They keep talking

Is it the beautiful face?

That Mesmerizes them?

Or

The compassionate heart

Is the one

That moves them

Does talking sweet

Influences them?

Whether a simple,

Honest

God-fearing person

Looks beautiful

To them

The question remain

Unanswered for me

I believe

Any person who loves

Human beings

Is beautiful

Till I am not convinced

Otherwise

I shall not change my

Belief

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People Come, People Go

People come,
People go
Memories remain
Some sweet
Some sour
Forgotten with time
People
Continue to live
Some with love
Some with hate
Without bothering
How they will be
Remembered?
After they leave

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People live like a demon

People
Live like a demon
Think of heaven
Use all the means
To fulfill their dreams
Never bother for others
Even if she is their mother
Hate is their quality
They know with clarity
No compassion
Only self devotion
Think with all the might
They are always right
Dishonesty they like
Crookedness
Is their way of life
No respect for humans
Treat them like animals
God doesn't
Matters to them
Only "me"and "me"
Is within them

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Playing With Emotions

Throughout
The day
Her face kept coming
To my mind
I waited for her
One more day passed
She did not come
Thirst of meeting her
Remained unfulfilled
May be she tried
But couldn’t make it
I kept on
Satisfying myself
Could not believe the truth
When revealed to me
She was seen with
Somebody else
Making false
Promises to me
Playing with emotions
Was her favorite
Past time

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Politicians Are Politrikians

Politicians are politrikians
More than any magician
Black hearted and sweet
Tongued
Thick skinned and Greedy
Exploit the poor and needy
So quickly
They change their color
Even chameleons feel
Smaller
Tremendous love for
Chair and power
Corrupt to the core
Smile on the face
Deceiving people their
Strength
Increasing expectation
Of poor voters
Expressing false love
For the nation their art
They do not spare any body
Become richer and richer
Day by day
Do not trust what they say
Escape the trap of
Sweet words they lay
Great actors in real life
Can kill anybody without
A knife

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Promises For Me Were Easy To Make

Promises for me
Were easy to make
Giving false hopes
To people
Not fulfilling them
Was my favorite way
Promise of yes
Always turned into no
Till my relations
Turned sour
With people around
I lost their trust
My reputation tarnished
Even an honest truth
Was not believed
I was left in lurch
Frustrated and depressed
The damage was done
Could not be repaired again

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Provide water and air which is clean and pure

Water
Is the most important
Need of life
The miracle liquid
Is scarce and polluted
Specially in the villages
The poor and needy
Are force to drink it in plenty
Science and technology
Is being used more and more
By all the countries
Underdeveloped nations
In their urge
To become developed
Use resources
In an unbalanced manner
Nobody bothers
About the poor villagers
Industries of rich and powerful
Pollute environment and soil
Toxifying the water underneath
With chemicals like chlorine
Rivers and lakes too face their ire
Poor people forced to drink
The same water
Causing diseases
In the poor and needy
What was provided by god?
Free of cost, is now bought
Enormous profits are earned
In the name of water,
Pure and healthy
I ask everybody
To wake and rise
Force the rulers
To use their might
Provide water and air
Which is clean and pure
Develop water purifiers
Cheap and handy
Distribute them to the needy
Save poor people from
Disease and dying

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Pure Love

It was raining
She was standing
Under the tree
Her beauty
Visible clearly
From under Her
Drenched clothes
Inviting
Passersby to look at her
Unconcerned about
What they were thinking?
Her eyes were glued
On the road
Anxiously waiting
For her beloved
To arrive
Take her in his arms
Provide warmth
To her cold body
And
Drench her
With pure love

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Ready to fly in the open skies

Time for the hot sun
To hide
Cool shining moon to rise
Dusk on the anvil
In the shade of a tree
She was standing
With an untold anxiety
Clearly visible
From the waiting eyes
Playing with her curly hair
Looking left and right
Waiting for the beloved
To come and take her in his arms
Plant a sweet kiss on her lips
She didn’t knew
I was watching her beauty
With an uncanny desire
She looked
Like a desperate bird
Ready to fly
In the open skies

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Remove the word war out of mind and dictionary

Me and mine in man
Created hate and boundaries
Converted them into countries
Filled
Cast, color, creed and religion
In the minds of people
To possess more and more
Became the ultimate goal
Wars resulted
Killing the innocent
In the name of god,
Land and authority
Became passion of many
Innocent men, women
And children died
Millions wounded
Many lived without limbs
Throughout their lives
Families broke
Lives displaced
For the ego of few
New arms invented
New methods of killing
Designed
Madness continues
From many ages
Leaders talk about humanity
But act like demons
Let the madness end
Throws the arms in the sea
Live like humans
Remove the word war
Out of mind and dictionary
Let the goal be
Love and humanity
Irrespective of
Color, religion or country

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Romance Of The Minds

I like her

I adore her

I admire her

With all honesty

At my command

I respect her

She respects me

Waits to hear from me

When I am depressed

Patiently listens to me

Motivates me

Her soothing words

Act as a medicine for me

Elevates my mood

She makes me smile

Devoid of

Any sexual urge

Sincerity and Purity

Are the crux

Of our relationship

Romance between our minds

Keeps our friend ship

Going

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Romance of the souls

She
Kept on speaking
Telling me
How to deal with
Life’s intricacies
How to remain calm
In difficulties
And keep smiling
I kept on listening
So involved and
Mesmerized I was
I didn’t know
When she had
Stopped speaking
She reacted pleasantly
Asked me
Were you not listening?
I came out of
My deep thoughts
No, No
I was enjoying your
Wonderful discourse
I remember
Each and every word
You said
Was my reply
Now it was my turn
To tell her
About contentment
Confidence and attitude
She closed her eyes
Listened to what I said
With full sincerity
I finished speaking
But she did not
Open her eyes
Were you listening?
I asked
Yes, yes
Was her reply
Each and every word
You said
Is embossed in my mind
So involved we were
In each other’s discourse
That we did not realize
When each of us
Finished speaking
Kept our eyes closed
Wanting to listen
More and more
I asked her

How it is possible?
It was her turn to
Explain it to me
Dear friend
All what happened
Is called
Romance of the souls
My soul
Was romancing
With yours
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Said - Unsaid

I was tense
She was not picking
The phone
Since last two days
I decided
May what happen?
I shall keep on calling
I did the same
In all nervousness
Anxiously kept dialing
Ultimately
She responded to
My call
How are you?
I hope all is well
Why you did not
Pick the phone?
Without taking a break
I shot volley of
Questions at her
"I am O.K "
In a sad tone
Was her reply
My anxiety increased
I kept on asking
Again and again
Tell me the truth
Till she started
Sobbing
"Nobody cares"
She ultimately said
"I care"
Was my reply
No, "I mean"
Those
Who are supposed to?
She said
I will do anything for you
To keep you smiling
I replied
In a desperate voice
She started saying
Those who care
&
Should be nearer
Are far away
Those who are closer
Do not bother
Why god does like this?
She busted out crying
With
Phone near my ears

My eyes wet
I kept on listening

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Shades of life

Shades of life
Fascinate me
Carefree childhood
Looks
Towards the parents
For every small thing
In the naughty puberty
One wants to see
Do everything new
The dynamic youth
Is full of energy
Ready to accept
Any challenge
The grown up man
Is more mature
With responsibilities
On the head
Does everything
Carefully
Plans for the future
The old age man
Remembers
The child hood
Feels little helpless
Worried about
The time to come
Further you go
One looks frail and tired
As helpless as a child
Prays to god
For a peaceful end
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Shadows of life all around me

Shadows of life

All around me

People making merry

Singing and dancing

People crying of

Hunger and poverty

Life and shelter

Makes me laugh

Makes me cry

At times, feel happy

At times, feel sorry

For not doing enough

To make

Everybody feel happy

I have decided to

Change my style

My way of thinking

Now no more crying

Shall do all that is

Possible

To make everybody

Smile

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Sharing

Sharing is
Fulfilling one’s desire
To be heard
Make others Understand
Emotions of the heart
The turmoil of the mind
One may be old or a child
Everyone has something
Going at the back of
The mind
Relieve yourself of
Of the miseries
Share them with
Somebody
Whom you like
Lucky are those
Who can share?
The booty of emotions
With the person of
Their choice
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She Is A True Friend To Me

She came into my life
Neither as a girl friend
Nor as a wife
An accidental Introduction
Brought her to limelight
Her coming was like
Drops of water on dried lips
Which quenches the thirst?
Reduces the agony
Gives new lease to life
Makes the person regain
Lost smile
She acts as a friend
Philosopher and guide
She is now a part of my
Hearts family
More than anything
She is a true friend to me
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She is my daughter, I am her father

When she cries
My heart cries
I feel Stabbed by
A sharp knife
Her tears make me
Writhe in pain
When she laughs
My heart jumps in joy
When she is away
In my mind
Thoughts about her play
Worried of her welfare
Unable to concentrate
My mind sways
She is the melody
Of my life’s song
Dearest
Of all the faces
I am the plant
She, my flower
The most precious
Gift to me
From my wife
She is my daughter
I am her father

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she kept waiting

She kept
waiting to hear for him
There was no message
No call from him
She kept checking
The mailbox from time to time
Falsely smiling
On seeing some body
Ate food without enjoying
Looked at the door
And the phone
A thousand times
Tried to sleep but couldn’t
Stopped leaving the house
Thinking
She might miss the call
Waiting for him
Became a nightmare
Tears flowed now and then
Thoughts keep coming
She said to herself
He never keeps his promises
She will never allow him
To leave her alone
He said, he will be travelling
In the countryside
Communicating will be difficult
So be patient
Simple for him, to say this
Never realized the agony
she was in
It is better to die
Than to wait for him

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She Lives Far Away

I have
Neither seen her
Nor met her
Still I adore her
Talking to her
Motivates me
Listening to her
Inspires me
Her cool behavior
Fascinates me
Her earthly approach
Impresses me
Her commitment
To her family
Encourages me
Her attitude
Enthralls me
Her selfless advice
Helps me
In bringing back
My lost smile
She lives far away
However, I find her
Close to me
I dedicate
This poem to her
She is a friend
Philosopher
Guide to me

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She was still innocent and fearless

The little girl
Played
With shells and crabs
Bathe in the salty water
On the seashore
Keen eyes waiting
To see more animals
And play with them
Dangerous or not
Was not her concern
Fear of getting bitten
The depth of the ocean
Did not bother
She treated all alike
She was still
Innocent and fearless
As god had sent her
Still not fully exposed
To the ugly realities
And crooked ways of life

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Shed Your Greed

See the history
Read the scriptures
Greed persists
Since birth
In all human beings
Take any color
Cast or creed
Those who win over it
Are winners
Those falling prey to it
Are termed losers
In lives battle field
Be a winner
Shed your greed

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Should I? Should I not?

Should I?

Should I not?

Kept me in lurch

I could not

Express

My love for her

Causing

Pain in my heart

I could not eat

I could no sleep

My life had changed

Face looked pale

My friends

Sensed some wrong

requested me

To share my grief

I revealed the truth

They insisted

I ask the question to

The girl I like

With all courage

Ultimately

I expressed

My love to her

She was overjoyed

Smile on lips

Shyness in eyes

She came near me

Took my hand

In her hands

With tears

In her blue eyes

Asked me

Why you kept me

Waiting so long?

All the time

I too kept on thinking

Should I?

Should I not?

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Silence of the night haunts me

Silence of the night
Haunts me
Makes dreaded noise
In my mind
The darkness
Creates ripples
In the heart
I patiently wait
 For the night to pass
Let the morning light
Engulf the dark night
Change my fate
Free me from miseries
Bring hope and desires
To the turbulent life
Let peace and solace
Come
Bring calmness
To the heart and mind

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Silently She Came

Silently she came
With grace and poise
Walked into my world
Inched towards
My heart and mind
Captured them
At the same time
Totally mesmerized
I could not resist
Her advancement
Left without any option
Accepted her invitation
Without any hesitation
I had got
What I had longed for
Without any expectation

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Small gestures are beads of pearl

Small
gestures are
beads of pearl
in the life of
every personality
Many pearls join
to make beautiful
 jewellery
Worn to enhance
the beauty
Collect these pearls
 on day to day basis
Greet when you meet
Smile from the heart
Don’t think it’s an art
For simple and humble
It’s very easy
Wanna make life
easy and cozy
Forget getting angry
Avoid life getting gory
Choose this way and
make everyone happy
Live life full of glory
Enhance it with
pearls of courtesy

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So much is hidden In the womb of time

Time is a moving wheel
Never stops never tires
So much is hidden
In the womb of time
Everybody
Waits, for it to arrive
The world wants to see
What’s hidden inside?
Worries and smiles
Are the same in all times
Faces keep changing
With passing of time
There was a time
When I had arrived
I don’t know the time
When I’ll leave
Change in fortune
Keeps changing
From time to time
Time is slow for some
Fast for others
Some cheer, some cry
Reason to live for many
To die for few
Time is time
For all and one
Everybody understands this
Only with time

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Some day

Sometimes when
I get up in the morning
I find things are not normal
On that day
For no rhyme or reason
I feel unhappy
Unnecessarily crappy
Someday I am full of joy
Wanting to enjoy
Till the end of the day
All of a sudden feel unwell
On the very next day
I feel tired and exhausted
Rest is the call for the day
One of the days
All is well
But mind is not the same
Whatever I do
Doesn’t go right on that day
One’s biorhythm they say
Changes every day
I shall find the reason
That causes all this
Some day

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Sorrow and misery are part of life

Sorrow and misery are part of life
Without them no life survives
Man cries in misery
Money power doesn’t suffice
Waits for happiness to arrive
Value of happiness cannot be known
Without facing misery and sorrow
Contentment is the only solution to it
People remain happy throughout their life
Making contentment their way of life
They thank god for what he has given
Without cribbing what he hasn’t?
Accept life as it comes
Enjoy it on day to day basis

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Sorry

No wonder
Everybody commits
Silly mistakes
I am no different
Than others
I too committed
More than many did
It is time now
To confess
In addition, feel sorry
For all undesirable
I did
Unnecessary arguments
I made
The feeling of many
I hurt
The lies that
I spoke
False commitments
I made
The people I betrayed
It is an honest confession
To all of them
Whom
In any way I have hurt
I want to repent
Pay for my sins
By doing good
To many
Remove the word hate
From my dictionary
Make the crying one’s
Smile
Say a big sorry
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Spring Has Arrived Now

Wind is not that
Cold now
Sun little hot now
Birds tweeting
Flowers blooming
Weather
More pleasant now
With so much fanfare
It seems
Spring has arrived
Now

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Strange are the ways Of god

The bird
Supposed to fly
Freely in the sky
Was now caged
Her dreams shattered
No desire to chirp
No eggs to lay
No friends to play
In desperation
While attempting to
Get out of the cage
Fly in the sky
Hit the walls of the cage
Without success
Injuring herself
In distress
Started thinking
Why human beings
Are so cruel?
Do not bother
For the lives of animals
Why the mighty
Torture the weak?
Why they do not do this
To their children?
Strange are the ways
Of god
He creates life
Then takes it back
By different designs
May be this is the way
He wants everybody
To believe and bow
To him
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Strange is The Rule of God

Strange
Is the rule of god
Innocent die
Killers freely roost
Honest cry for a penny
Dishonest roll in money
Good live in misery
Bad have full luxury
One who live in love
Is hated
Speaking lie
Is considered as an art
One who speaks truth
Is not considered smart
People with smile on face
Hatred in heart
Are ruling the people
At large

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Suicide

A man

Committed suicide

He did not die

His attitude died

Inability to fight the

Situation

Face the reality

Died

His patience

His confidence

Died

Faith in himself

Died

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Take my heart out

Take my heart out
You will see
It is ridden with
Multiple wounds
But still beats
Happily
It is god's mercy
That it gets
So much of energy
To pulsate
Without bothering
Looks forward
Positively
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Tears are tears

Tears are tears
When the heart is torn
They flow without any fear
They come in pain
Doesn’t matter
Emotional or physical
In meeting or departing
What the mouth cannot speak
The tears say
What the heart cannot express
The tears express
A precious gift of god
To humans
Never hold them
Let them flow
They clean the eyes
And heart alike
A man without tears
Is a human without soul?

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Thankless

It was winter
It was raining
While
Returning home
They were shivering
They were cribbing
After burying
Their pet dog
Who died early
Morning?
Lived for them
Protected them
selflessly
Why did he die?
When the day
Was beginning
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The Advent of Humans Shall Turn This Heaven into Hell

Queer fate
And a big wave
Stranded me on an
Isolated island
I opened my eyes
Found myself amidst
Beautiful trees
Blue skies
Colorful birds
Eye catching flowers
And sparkling waterfalls
I was the lone human
On this heaven on earth
I ate fruits
Played with the animals
Sang with the birds
Danced with the winds
One day I remembered
My family and friends
I prayed to god
Bring all of them
To this heaven on earth
God smiled
And said to me
I can do that my son
But remember
The advent of humans
Shall
Turn this heaven into hell

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The Battle Between Lie And Truth

I lied
Throughout my life
My truth hid behind
Thoughts started
Bothering my mind
How long one can hide?
Truth ultimately shines
The moment
I opened my mouth
To reveal the truth
My past resisted
With all the might
Asking me to desist
From
Exposing all my truth
People shall hate
When they see
My true face
I replied
The fear of truth
Increased my lies
Weight increased
On my heart and mind
Peace and solace
Went far away
Everybody knows
Each one
Is double faced
May be one
Changes the mind
Decides to think
The way I thought
To reveal the truth
And end the battle
Between lie and truth
Win peace
For the heart and mind

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The Beautiful Flower

A tiny bud
Took birth in a garden
Matured into a beautiful flower
It’s Eye catching colors
Maddening aroma
Became center of attraction
For one and many
All coming to the garden
Adored it
Fellow flowers
Became envious
The beautiful flower saw all this
But kept on blooming
Didn’t bother
Who is envious or attracted?
Continued
Spreading fragrance
Without getting distracted
Kept on doing
What he had to do
One day it perished
Justified its birth
Before dying
Leaving pleasant memories
For those who
Saw and smelled it

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The Child In Me

I am a full-grown man
With a wife and children
A good job to do
Have all that I need
People think
I have lot of experience
To share with others
I give to them
What is expected from me?
But do not hide
The child in me
At times
I cry and laugh like him
Ask questions
As a child does
Play and behave like him
I know
Childhood cannot return
But the child in me
Takes me back
To the carefree
World of A child
No matter,
How old I become
I do not want
The child in me to die

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The Committed Traveller

The committed traveller
Keeps on travelling
Never get perturbed
By difficulties
Obstacles come
The journey stops
Faces them patiently
The time may increase
Speed decrease
Determination continues
Attitude does not seize
Keeps on moving
Completes the journey
Successfully

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The fate of a life

Everybody
Lives In hope
Have I
Two of faith in fate
Keeps on working
Trying to fulfill
The dreams
One saw
If one succeeds
Its hard work for
 Him
Fate for others
If he fails
It’s fate for him
Lack of hard work
For others
Life
Goes on and on
End of the day
When one dies
It’s the fate
Which seals
The fate of a life

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The fate of hate is hate

The fate of hate is hate
Hate was his way of life
Humanity he did not like
Killed thousands
Around the world
Taught others
To live in hate
In the name of religion
Called himself a human
Lived like a demon
Spread terror on the earth
Did not get
Two yards for himself
Remains buried
In the depth of the sea
Was cursed by everybody
From a child to elderly
His fate was known
Long before he died
Tried his best to hide
But could not survive
The fate of hate is hate
Hate killed hate
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(On the death of Osama Bin Laden)

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The festival of colors, 'Holi' is on the anvil

The festival of colors
Holi is on the anvil
Welcome it
With dance and music
Singing and merry making
Apply colors
Which are dry and harmless?
Avoid deeds
Not liked by many
Eat mouth-watering sweets
Greet everybody
Enjoy the festival
With friends and family
Do not forget
The poor and needy
Help them enjoy
The festival equally
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The Heart And The Mind

What is in the heart?
Is different from
What is in the mind?
Comes
Out of the mouth
Well calculated
And Designed
According
To the situation
Depending on the
Mood
And the motive
In addition
Also on the person
To whom one is talking?
Rarely do you find
People talking
More from the heart
Less from the mind

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The Importance of Confidence and Trust

She said she loved me
I was not confident
If she really meant it
I doubted
She left me
A friend said I trust you
I was not confident
If he really meant it
I doubted
He departed
A neighbor said
Door of my house
Was left open in the night
I thought he is fooling
I didn’t believe
My house was burgled
Lack of trust,
Confidence and doubt
Made big dents in my life
I am lonely
No friend, no neighbor
To share my plight
Now I realize
The importance
Of confidence and trust
Same yardstick
Of doubting everybody
Has never helped
Anybody

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The importance of elders

There was a little Sparrow
Happy and Thrilled
She would fly for first time today
Mother told her to be near her
So that she can take care of her
They started flying together
Little one felt,
On the top of the World
Left and Right, Up and Down
She kept flying
Moving away from the Mother
Never bothered, to look around
She didn’t knew there were
Falcons in the World
One was eyeing to make prey of her
The mother realized the Danger
Flew towards the small One
Saved her from the clutches of the Falcon
Little one Realized
The importance of Elders

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The nurse was like a mother to him

He could not speak,
He could not move
Kept lying
On the hospital bed
With eager eyes
Kept looking at the door
He was waiting
For the nurse to arrive
His face lit up
When he saw the nurse
Greeted her with a big smile
How are you?
And good morning she said
To show his happiness
He giggled a bit
And looked into her eyes
His eyes got wet
As if he got
everything he wanted
The nurse was like
a mother to him
He was like a child to her
Did everything
what a child needed
Love and care she provided
Never did he felt
The absence of his mother

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The red rose flower, asked god

The red rose flower
Asked god
You have given me
Beautiful look
Sweet fragrance
Eye catching color
Everybody likes me
However,
Why have you given?
Thorns to my plant
God replied
No one gets every thing
He wants
Even all my children
Are not nice
I gave thorns to
Your plant
To protect you from
Careless hands
You should be contented
With what you have
Always bear in mind
Other flowers on the earth
Do not have
Even half the qualities
You have
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The silent eyes

Lying on a cot
Under the banyan tree
Deep in thoughts
The frail old poor man
Who had not eaten
For two days
Had nothing else to do
Except asking himself
What else should I do?
The silent eyes
Ready to shed tears
Were speaking loudly
Without any noise
Expressing
The anguish of the
Broken heart and
Worried mind
Praying to god
Oh lord,
Please relieve me of
My miseries
I can't bear them
Now
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The Silent Walls

Walls see
Acts of love
Acts of hate
Happiness
&
Agony
Walls hear
Words of love
Words of hate
Words of despair
&
Hope
They remain
Silent spectator
Do not support
Do not reject
I wish
God provides
Speech to them
To reveal the truth
That lies hidden
In their heart

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The Sunset and The Sunrise

The sun
After a day’s travel
 From east to west
Was losing its heat
Getting ready to hide
Inviting the night to come
With moon and stars in sight
Birds flew back to their nests
Humans
Finishing their days work
To have
A night of sleep and rest
Shades of sky changed
From blue
To orange, yellow and red
Sun shall move to
Other part of the world
To rise there, bringing
A new morning
Full of hope and expectancy

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The Truth

I want to know
The truth about me
What people think of me?
Why people hate me
Know their unexpressed
Love for me
Reduce the misery
And agony they live in
People who
Could never muster
Courage and strength
To say the truth on
my face
Kept on cribbing
Behind my back
Silently loving me
From the core of
Their heart
I want me and them
To sleep in peace
Live life in peace
I want to know
The truth about me

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The truth about friendship

Trusting &sharing
Listening & saying
Helping each other
Giving
Without expecting
Respecting
The sentiments
Of the other
No greed, No hate
No ill feeling
Not doubting
Each other
Not comparing
With each other,
Loving each other
No one bigger,
No one smaller
Laughing together,
Crying together
Sailing together,
Drowning together
It is all about
Friendship
Easier to talk
Difficult to practice
Is the truth about
Friendship
Which is the crux of all?
Relationships
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The web of depression

When clouds of
Negative thoughts
Covers the mind
There is darkness
All around
Smile on the face
Vanishes
Eyes shows agony
One likes nothing
Reacts
Without provocation
World seems
A useless place
Trust in people
Self-confidence is lost
One starts losing
 Interest in life
Does not realize
One is getting trapped
In the web of
Depression
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The winner

When one loses
Hope
A positive thought
Revives it
When one is full of
Hope
A negative thought
Loses it
When one is defeated
If one thinks
I can do it
One can taste victory
A thought derived from
Introspection
Changes
Deeds and behavior
Of a person
A careful thought
Can avoid difficulties
A balanced thought
Can give justice
In the battle of life
One who thinks
Rationally, objectively
Honestly, positively
Passionately, correctly
In all possibilities
Is likely to emerge
As the winner
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The world is silent without you

The world
Is silent without you
No music no dance
Flowers do not bloom
Bird do not chirp
No laughter
No smile now
Darkness all around
Calmness
 Of death surrounds
Tears flow from the eyes
In your memory
The heart cries
To live or to die
Are same now
Life has become
A hell now

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The worst morning gift one can get

Early morning
One sees news
Of Rape and torture
Death and murder
Fraud and cheating
Printed in big letters
Of newspapers
In explicit words
And gory detail
Makes the heart sad
Disturbs mind’s peace
The worst morning gift
One can get
In the developed world
Of cultured people

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There ‘re Vultures All Around

Vultures in the sky
Vultures on the ground
There are vultures all around
In search of prey
They move their eyes
They do not whisper
They do not shout
Silently wait
For the opportune time
Mercilessly kill
To fulfill their desire
By hook or by crook
Without bothering
Who the killed one is?

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They Met

They met
Queer wave of liking crept
In their hearts
Love bud sprouted
Blossomed into the tree of
Togetherness
Living together
Was now the top most task
Marrying each other
Became the goal
Everything else put on hold
Overcoming all resistance
They married each other
Happiness was not to last
Together they met
With an accident
Only to die
Bodies turned into ashes
Souls left for heaven
The question remains
Life lost the battle
Or
Love achieved the goal

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They're Digging Their Own Graves

Flowers stopped blooming
Birds stopped nesting
Few leaves left
The tree was shocked
Failed to understand
The reason behind
Wore a dejected look
On the face
Prayed to god
Give me back
My flowers and birds
God replied
The human greed
Does not end
They leave no means
To achieve their ends
Take lives, cut trees
Do not realize
They are digging
Their own graves
Without animals and trees
No man would survive
If humans understand
You shall get
Flowers and birds back
I only provide
How to preserve?
They have to decide

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Thirst for love

I was sitting in room
Busy reading a book
A call from a bird
Diverted my attention
She was sitting
On the window grill
Chirping in full volume
Trying hard to seek my attention
Her color was eye catching
Her looks attracted me
Her beauty no less
Instantly created ripples in me
In her I saw somebody who loved me
I wanted to hold her
Make love and feel her
As I was about to fulfill my desire
A vulture came from nowhere
Picked the bird in its claws
And flew to the sky with her
My love for her,
Her desire for me
Was a thirst neither of us
Could quench

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This is what I wanted to say

I want to say
Something to you
I do not know
How to say?
When to say?
However
It is important
Therefore,
I have to tell you
Anyway
Can you tell me?
How would you Say
The sentence
"I love you"
Which has been?
Haunting my mind
Since many days
If you can't tell me
No worries
Silently you listen
Do not get angry
This was what
I wanted to say
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Through My Eyes

Let somebody see her
Through my eyes
Feel the intensity
Of love
Hidden inside
See the turmoil
Going in the mind
Convey
My feelings to her
Help me in fulfilling
My desire
And achieve my
Destiny

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Till he keeps fulfilling her desire

She came running
Sweating badly
Breathing heavily
She was tired
Stopped at the tree
Where he was standing
Seeing him
Her tiredness gone
Face looked refreshed
Like the leaves on the tree
After the rain
In the bright sun
Droplets of perspiration
Shone like pearls
Her beauty increased
As her eyes met
The waiting lover
Who asked her?
If she was tired?
She swore to him
She could
Cross the mountains
Swim deep rivers
Walk the desert barefooted
To meet her beloved
She shall never tire
Till he keeps fulfilling
Her desire

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Time Only Tells

In a urge to grab
Something new,
Sometimes you forget
Something important
 Time only tells
How wrong
Or
Right were you
You repent
If love for new found
Proves to be a disaster
You feel nostalgic
For the one left behind
You forget it completely
If your decision is right
It can be a person
It can be a thing

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Time Spares Nobody

Time spares nobody
Lying in the grave
Under mound of sand
He heard voices of people
Crying and sobbing
They had come to bury
One more body
Their expression of grief
Meant nothing to him
He sarcastically smiled
Remembered
Long back
In the same way
People known, unknown
Had brought him here
Crying and sobbing
Visited him regularly
Slowly they stopped coming
Now he lies all alone
Same will happen to the one
Who just joined the fraternity?
Memories fade slowly
Time spares nobody
Does any body
Really love somebody
The question
Haunted him regularly

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To fulfill my heart’s desire

I was looking
From the window of my room
When I saw her in a beautiful costume
Walking slowly on the road below
She was full of grace and poise
I liked her in first sight
Her beauty struck me, deep in my heart
My eyes remained wide open
By the time I regained my senses
Found her missing from the scene
I stood on the road daily for hours
To meet her face to face
Wanting to tell
How I felt about her?
But she was never to be seen again
I Came to know after many days
She was a tourist
Who came for a day?
Throughout the country now I travel
To fulfill my heart’s desire

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To give and take is way of life

To give and take
Is way of life
They go side by side
Alone none can survive
If one takes
One has to give
That is the best reply
One can give
Relation spoil
Differences arise
One is considered
Mean and selfish
If one doesn’t give
Be a giver
Then a taker
Every preacher
Every saint
Teaches the same

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Togetherness

When
Both like each other
Both love each other
Both give, both get
both smile, both laugh
Both suffer, both cry
Together
Both miss, both admire
Both listen to
Both understand,
Each other
Both adore, each other
When alone
Miss the other
Can’t live
Without each other
Without the other,
One is nothing
With the other,
One get’s everything
Togetherness
Is everything for them?
Two body’s one soul
Both are one, another

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Togetherness was the goal

One day in the morning
It was cold and I was shivering
Enjoying the beauty
Of the snowy Mountain
Sun started rising
Bringing heat and light beaming
Snow started melting
Water started trickling
Down to the River
Flowing in the Plains
Slowly it mingled
With the water in the River
The water looked one
It wasn’t possible to Separate
Water from the Snow
And
Water from the River
Like lovers with two hearts,
One Soul
Togetherness was the Goal

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Trust is the pivot of relations

Trust is the pivot of
Relations
Thoughts of doubt
Can crack the trust
Put a question mark
On relations
Sufficient to destroy
Age-old bonds
It can make one
Loose a friend
Separate lovers
Disintegrate families
Kills the soul
Of an individual
One starts eyeing
Every one with
Suspicion
It can become
Life’s biggest
Misadventure

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Truth-Untruth

You want
To know my truth
Hear my truth
But want to hide your
Truth
Under the garb of
Untruth
Have you ever thought?
Is it possible?
If you want others
To speak truth
You should
Speak the truth
Anybody
Who does like this?
Is doing contrary to
The expectations of god
If you want to be
Near god
From today itself
Shed the garb of untruth
Start speaking truth

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Under the starry skies she lied wirh closed eyes

Under
The starry skies
She lied
With closed eyes
No expressions
No emotions
On the face
The hot sun
The cool moon
Showered light
Without any effect
I could hear her voice
Her beauty
Visible to the eyes
The world said
She has gone
Not to return
For me she was
As she was
My memory had
Nothing else
Except her
I could still
Talk to her
I loved her
I love her
I shall love her
For ever

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Unfulfilled Desire

He had greyed
Wrinkles on the face
Spectacles on the eyes
He saw her with probing
Eyes
Sitting on a bench in the
Garden
Reading a book near
The hotel
He was staying
He had come to the city
Four decades
After he completed
His studies
If not mistaken
It was she
Who filled his life?
With unfulfilled desire
She had also aged
Glow on the face
Had turned in to gloom
Slowly walked and
Stood in front of her
Seeing the light obstructed
She lifted her face
Her eyes remained
Wide open
She could not believe
It was he
She cleaned her eyes
To confirm
What she thought
Was right
Could not utter a
Single word
Tears started flowing
The man asked
How are you?
How is your family?
She replied
I did not marry
Slowly asked
In an anxious tone
Did you?
No
I also did not
Was the answer
Tell me
Why you did not?
The woman blushed
Said in a muffled tone
Because

You did not

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Wait never ends

I wait
Eagerly
Desperately,
Longingly,
Helplessly,
I wait
Patiently,
Quietly,
Lovingly,
Hopingly
Ultimately
Praying to God
Wait?
Replies the god
I keep on
Waiting
And
Waiting
For the wait
To end
But the wait
Never ends

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Waiting For Him

With a look of hope
On the face
Eyes gleaming
Longing to see her desire
Fulfilled
She sat in the window
Looking at the street
Waiting for him to arrive
Arms of the clock
Kept moving
Her desire
Remained starving
Color of the face
Kept changing
Pink became yellow
In no time
Eyes moved
From street to the clock
Now and then
Afternoon went
And evening arrived
No sign of
Her love to be seen
Eyes became wet
Tears started flowing
One more day
Had left her crying
Waiting for him
Had become
Her only pastime

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War Spares Nobody

He was a soldier
Far away from home
In the name of peace
He was fighting a war
In a distant country
Following the orders
Of his superiors
Killing the innocent
Old and young
Every time he put his finger
On the trigger of his gun
His heart ached
A sense of guilt crept in
He could not sleep in the night
He cried
His conscience pricked
Said to him
Killing was no solution to peace
He decided
He shall not kill anymore
Next day his superior ordered
To fire on a group of civilians
His finger
Could not pull the trigger
His boss noticed and shouted
Why are you not firing?
I'm not going to fire
On the innocents
He replied
Before the boss could say a word
A stray bullet killed the soldier
War spares nobody
In the name of peace
For no rhyme or reason
Anyone
Can be killed

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We are all beautiful

We are
All gods’ creation
Male or female
Short or tall
Whatever is our color?
Cast or creed
People from
All countries alike
However different
We may look
Irrespective of
Language we speak
The food we eat
Customs and rituals
We follow
We are all beautiful
Loved by god
After all we are
Gods Children

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We keep on postponing

The old door of the
Out house made a
Creaking sound
Whenever somebody
Opened or closed it
Always reminding
To take care of it
Nobody
Bothered to listen
What it was saying
Everybody knew
If the door was not there
The outhouse
Would become
Unsafe and useless
It seemed as if
Everybody was waiting
For its break down
Many a times
We do this in our life
Do not care for
Important things
By some way or other
They keep reminding
Again and again
We keep on postponing
Take care only
When they become
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What One Does, Decides The Fate

In every one
The urge is great
To know one’s fate
The anxiety remains live
Throughout the life
What’s in store?
The question always roars
Everybody wishes
Their dreams be fulfilled
Want to have
A glimpse of the future
What one does
Decides the fate
Good get heaven
Bad go to hell

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What to do?

What to do?
Scares me
Every time
The question crops
I ask my self
If I get a answer
I feel happy
Otherwise
Scratch my head
Look around me
Trying to find somebody
Who can help me?
Many times
I find somebody
I get an answer
I feel happy
Some times
When I do not
Get any help
Unknown fear creeps in
That reminds me of
The almighty
I pray to him
I get an answer
I feel happy
Fail to understand
Why
What should have been?
Done first
Is done in the last
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Wheel Of Life Goes On and On

People keep coming
To the world
People keep leaving
The world
Birth and death
 Are common to all
Life’s window opens
For one
Closes for the other
Tears flow and
Everybody remember
The one who has gone
Welcomes the one
Who’s new amongst them?
With smile and laughter
Wheel of life goes
On and on

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When autumn arrives

When autumn arrives
Leaves fall
The tree looks lonely
Loses its beauty
Unable to do anything
Against nature’s
Authority
Life faces the same agony
Old age reduces
Strength and energy
Everybody starts
Seeing end of life’s journey
Wrinkles appear
Senses slowly disappear
Helplessness is visible
Support becomes essential
Every soul keeps thinking
When shall god
Exercise his authority
And
End the journey
Turns life into memory

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When I look at the empty chair

When I look
At the empty chair
I feel nostalgic
My mentor, my teacher
Sat on it
Now lies in the corner
Without him
He is no more
Others cannot see him
I can see him sitting
His memories become alive
His teachings revived
Motivates me
To do my best
In an honest way
As he taught me

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When I look beyond the years

Beyond the years
I find
Myself in total rest
Remembered by
Few out of love
Few out of hate
By many
Whom I met
For some reason
I find
More people talking on
what I did
Few on what I could
Have done
As time moves forward
More I am forgotten
I am remembered
Only when I am seen
In a photograph
In the album
Or
My photo hanging
on a wall
As I go further
I totally disappear
Like the water
From the river
Disappears
In the Deep sea
Nobody knows
I ever existed
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When I think of you

Happiness creeps in me
When I think of you
Memories be seize me
How beautiful are you
You elegance captured me
I remember the time spent with you
Your Fragrance mesmerized me
Walking on beach with you
Even the sound of the sea
Never disturbed me
I was so involved in you
Forgot everything about me
Life without you
Is punishment for me?
I don’t know what to do
When I think of you

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When I was born

When I was born
I could recognize my mother
She introduced me to my father
To my brothers and sisters
They introduced me
To uncle and aunts
I was told
What to do and what not to do
My knowledge of right or wrong
Came from them
Then came the school
Teachers told me,
Two plus two is four
And so on
What they gave was education
They told me
Nobody asked what I wanted to do
What I liked and what I disliked
When I grew up
I found myself
Chained in should and should not
Right and wrong
As told by whomsoever I met
I could never do what I wanted to
I hated and respected people
Because I was told to
I feel chained by do’s and don’t’s
I want to be a free man
Break the shackles created by others
Think and do what I want to
Not to be guided by others
Make my own rules for my life
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When I’m Perturbed

When I am perturbed
I don’t know
Where to go and what do?
I lose my patience
The mind is agitated
No relief from any where
Thoughts do not stop
I keep on thinking
The world
Is a useless place
Full of difficulties
Everybody is selfish
Love and affection
Doesn’t exist
Anger and frustration
Rules me
I pray to god
Ask him
How to end all this?
God doesn’t reply
But slowly the mind
Cools down
I start talking to myself
To my surprise
I find
I am to be blamed
For many miseries
My own actions
Increased my difficulties
I decide to take lesson
From the mistakes
I committed
Things become better
For me
The world now looks
A better place to live in

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When life is not worth living

When somebody
Hurts you
Cheats you
Deceives you
Abuse you
You don’t like him
When you feel
Things are not
Going the way
You wished
When your dreams
Are not filled
When you fail
When people don’t
Understand you
Respect you
Care for you
You feel lost
And depressed
You think that life is
Not worth living
Have you ever thought?
Of talking to yourself
Close your eyes
And
Introspect in solace
You shall know,
The mistakes
You committed
The way you behaved
And treated people
False ego
Unrealistic dreams
You saw
Mistrust
You had for people
Work on them
You shall find life
Worth living

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When Love is the goal

Love
Is not an arrangement
Not management
Never before never after
It’s once for ever
No cast no creed
Nobody can hide
If it happens, it happens
Nobody can hold
When Love is the goal

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When Misery Surrounds

When
Misery surrounds
One forgets
It is a part of life
The mind is baffled
Loses its peace
Clouds of fear
Covers it
The heart cries
The eyes shed tears
Nothing pleases
One prays to god
End the agony
Make the life rosy
Enrich the face
With a big smile

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When New Year Comes

When New Year Comes
Everybody Shivers
In the month of January
Which is cold and Airy
In February winter get’s Weary
Prepares for Leaving
Paving way for spring to come
In the month of March
Flowers loom Large
April comes
Summer knocks on the Door
When May comes,
Sun Brightens
Mangoes ripe and Juicy
Long hot days
Make June very tiring
Holidays for Children
All wait for Rain
Monsoon at its Peak
When July arrives
Rain brings Smile
August is the month of Freedom
Sometimes sticky sometimes Hot
In September one feels
Better then August
We call it Autumn
One see’s Flowers
Which are colourful and Rosy
October is the festival Month
Weather is good
Winter getting Ready
November makes everybody Happy
Everybody enjoys
Lights of Deepawali(Festival of Light)
In the Cold month of December
Christmas celebrated
Throughout the the World
Everybody says goodbye to the year
Welcomes New Year
On the night of 31’st December

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When One Meets A New Person

When one
Meets a new person
Rarely one leaves
A lasting impression
One forgets meeting
That person
The one who leaves
A pleasant feeling
In the first meeting
Engulfs the heart and mind
One wants to
Meet the person
Again and again
Anxiety and desire
Increases
A fondness develops
Wish to strengthen
Relations
Is foremost in the mind
The unknown
Becomes known
And one’s own
Remains nearer
With heart and soul
Becomes unending desire

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When spring arrives

When
Cold winter goes
Cottons
Replace woolens
The cold and the mist
Is forgotten
No shivering and
Clattering of teeth
Colorful flowers
Start to bloom
It is a sigh of relief
For the peasants
Working in the field
Children find it easy
To go to school
Birds sing merrily
Old and sick
Feel happy
The sun
Loses its charm
Young people
Sing and dance
Their hearts throb more
All this happens
When spring arrives
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When you doubt somebody

When you doubt
Somebody
You do not doubt
A person
You doubt ones
Character
Integrity and honesty
Do not be hasty
Think carefully
Before you commit
This folly
Unintentional mistake
May have been
Committed
It can be a
Misunderstanding
Do not go
In the nitty gritty
Weigh all the
Possibilities
With a open
Heart and mind
Before deciding
Always remember
It is easy to break a
Relationship
Difficult to build it
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Where are the people , Who lived for others

Where are the people

Who lived for others

Cried for them

Laughed with them

Thought

More for others

Less for self

Suffered in pain

Never complained

Encouraged others

Lived for them

Died unknown

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Who is, thinking what?

Who is
Thinking what?
Thinking about whom?
Keeps many minds busy
Think less for themselves
More about others
Unnecessarily worried
Poison their mind
In imagination
Whether true or false
Is not there concern
Only guessing
Is their conviction
Remain uncomfortable
Live life
In desperation

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Why do you think?

Why do you think?
Other should think the way you think
Can you think the way they think?
Everybody thinks'
His way is the right way to think
Respect what people think
The way they think
You will find people
 Respecting what and how you think
Everybody has the right to think
 The way he thinks' and what he thinks'
One can only tell what he thinks'
If they like it
They will approve what you think
No regrets, no hard feelings
Nobody loses, Nobody wins

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Why He Was Away, From Truth?

Why he was away, from truth?
On the ground
He lied prostrate
Speechless
And motionless
Defeated by death
Now there was
Nothing to worry
Nothing to fear
His body not feeling
The weight of
The wreath of flowers
Put by many
Some had tears
Others
Wore gloomy faces
But were smiling
In the heart
They were happy
He had died
He was helpless
Today he realized
Faces do not show
What's inside the heart?
He was regretting
Why he was away
From truth?
During life time

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Why people are self centered?

Why people are
 Self centered?
Think only about
Themselves
They feel
Their desires are most
Important
Let others go to hell
Not concerned
About others feelings
I and mine reign
Supreme
In their mind
They think
Nobody knows their truth
Forgetting
Truth cannot be hidden
For a long time
Time certainly will teach them
A lesson
One day they shall cry
For support from others
Only to find
There is nobody
To help them
In the vicinity around
They become isolated
Treated as an outcast
Only to repent
Throughout their life
For their deeds and behavior
Which nobody liked

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Why? When?, and How?

Day passes
Night sets in
Questions remain
Questions
Why? when?
And
How?
Rule the mind
Night darkens
Eyes close
Reopen
In the morning
Why? when?
And
How?
Reappear
Remain unanswered
Throughout the day
Only hope keeps
Life moving

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Wings of imagination

Everybody flies
On the wings of
Imagination
Whether they fulfill or not
Keep on increasing
Their aspirations
Think the impossible
At times suffer from
Desperation
Few get inspiration
Try do better and better
Never succumb to frustration
Many enjoy imagination
Take it as joy
To their heart and soul

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Without Any Noise

When
Cold winter arrives
White snow falls
From the skies
Covers the
Red yellow trees
Colors of thrill
Silence of white
Meet
Without any noise
Makes it a
Wonderful sight
Gives a
Sensational feeling
Soothing to the eyes
Reduces the shivering
Give warmth
To the heart and mind

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You are always In my heart

You are always
In my heart
Not in the center
Not on the side
Always deep inside
Light of your love
Burns deep in me
Ignites more
When I think of you
Birds keep chirping,
Wind keeps flowing
My love for you
Keeps growing
Seasons come
Seasons go
Love for you
Shall never go
You’re part of my
Heart and soul
Life without you
Will take
My life’s toll

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You are more than a person to me

You are
More than
A person to me
I can speak out
My heart to you
Share my agony
Laugh with you
Learn to live
Enjoy the life
The way
One should do
I love you
As a good
Compassionate
Human being
I miss you
When you do not
Talk to me
You understand
My agony
Provide a solution
As no one ever did
You are
More than a
Person to me
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Your Beauty

I do not see your
Beauty
By your clothes
By the way you walk
Your sweet talks
Does not captivate me
The figure you carry
Does not mesmerize me
Your smile
Make many sigh
However
Do not enamor me
Your prize possession
Are your deep blue eyes
The door to your
Passionate heart
Has captured me
Forced me to love you
Made it possible
To enjoy the purity
It possesses
Let me plunge myself
Deep in to them
Let me live there
Till the end of my life

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Your Grace and Beauty, Enamored Me

I don’t know
Whether you know
That I love you
When I first met you
Couldn’t stop myself
From loving you
Your grace and beauty
Enamored me
Voice and laughter
Sounded like music
And song to me
Manners fascinated me
You looked like an angel
Coming from heaven
Your beauty captured me
I couldn’t control
Started loving you
Felt as if god has sent
You for me
Don’t know whether
I’ll be with you
Or
Away from you
One thing is certain
I shall always love you
Shall live for you
Shall die for you

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Your heart talk’s to me

I forget myself
When I am with you
Drowned Deep
In the world of love
I can only feel
Your love for me
My eyes close
My mind in total peace
I hear no voices
Nothing disturbs me
In total silence
Your heart talk’s to me
Every word I understand
Love, love and only love
Your heart says to me

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Your silence does not surprise me

Your silence
Does not surprise me

Inability to meet me
Is keeping you away
From saying anything to me

I know
You have tried your best
Without any success

Nobody has bothered
Nobody has listened to you

Distance between us
Has not decreased
Agony on both sides
Day by day has increased

Left without any option
Talking or speaking
Would not solve the
Problem

Life now has to be lived
Like a living dead

Gracefully
Accept the poison of
Separation

Remaining silent

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